

KEEPING A TIGHT HAND ON ALL NEWS OF LABOR TROUBLE

German Government Controls News Regarding Strikes

LONDON, Feb. 2.—The German government is keeping a tight hand on news of the strikes, which are attended by demonstrations, in Berlin and other parts of Germany. But from details received today thru Holland it is learned that the situation became serious Thursday when a considerable display of force was necessary to handle the mobs which attacked street cars and carried out other excesses in Berlin.

For news of what transpired yesterday the public outside of Germany is largely dependent upon a semi-official report which says that "only isolated and entirely insignificant" excesses occurred that day and says that the prevailing opinion is that the "strike has passed its zenith."

This seems to be supported by the fact that the newspapers which were unable to appear Thursday owing to the sympathy displayed by their competitors and pressmen with the strikers, all came out Friday, while the transport workers continue their labors. It is also asserted that work has been renewed at Kiel, Danzig and Hamburg but it is said that additional miners have gone on strike at Rhenish-Westphalian coal fields.

Information from various sources shows, however, that the strike in general is not over despite the strong stand taken by the military authorities who are now in control.

RUNNING FIGHT WITH BANDITS IN CHICAGO

One Hold-up Man Killed, a Physician Badly Hurt, and Three Policemen are Shot.

Chicago, Feb. 2.—One holdup man was killed; a physician probably fatally injured and three policemen shot in the pistol battle between three robbers who had held up a saloon and a squad of policemen on a crowded street in an outlying district of the city late today.

Following the report of the saloon robbery, a patrol wagon filled with policemen was sent to the scene as the bandits were departing. As they caught sight of the patrol the robbers separated and began to run, opening fire on their pursuers. Hundreds of persons were in the street at the time and these scattered at the first shot.

The first volley, however, Dr. J. M. Haddock, a spectator fell, badly wounded, while one of the gunmen also dropped, shot thru the head. His two companions succeeded in making their escape after the policemen had been injured.

POLICY REGARDING NEW GUARD UNITS

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—The policy of the war department with respect to the new national guard units organized since the president drafted the old guard into the federal service will be to refrain from calling them into service even after they have attained the state of preparedness required by departmental regulations and have been recognized by the militia bureau.

This was disclosed today in a statement issued by Secretary Baker thru the militia bureau. The new units, however, will be subject to draft at any time in the discretion of the president. In that connection it was said today by Provost Marshal General Crowder that members of the new guard units of draft age will be eligible to call under the selective service law until the units to which they are attached shall have been drafted into the federal service by proclamation of the president under the national defense act.

RABBITS MAY BE SOLD

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 2.—Ralph B. Bradford, state game warden, yesterday sent the following message to H. A. Wheeler, state food administrator relating to the sale of rabbits:

"Complying with the request of the food administration at Washington, communicated thru you, the director of agriculture has instructed me to notify all employees of the division of game and fish that rabbits may be sold in Illinois until Feb. 23."

LOSES SECOND GAME

Chicago, Feb. 2.—Alfred DeOro lost his second game in two starts in the three cushion billiard today when George Moore of New York beat him 50 to 47 in seventy four tappings.

Report Gorges Holding Fast In Mississippi

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Dec. 2.—Advices from Osceola, Ark., and Richwood, Tenn., where gorges in the Mississippi river have blocked the movement of rice and water from the Ohio and other tributaries stated tonight that the gorges were holding fast. At Osceola the river was said to be rising at the rate of an inch an hour. At Memphis tonight the river was at a stage of fifteen feet with the rises hardly perceptible.

Advices from Caruthersville, Mo., tonight asserted that the government tugboat Oleanor had rescued a barge loaded with railroad cars which had broken loose in Cairo, Ill., and was on the lookout for a second barge similarly loaded, also being carried down stream.

Several representatives of business concerns which have suffered losses at points higher up on the Mississippi and the tributaries arrived here today to make arrangements looking to the possible salvage of property belonging to their companies if the gorges break and allow it to float this far southward.

RAILROAD BILL TO BE REPORTED NEXT WEEK

Leaders Making Every Effort To Expedite Passage

House Committee Approves Amendment Providing for Termination of Government Control Two Years After Peace is Declared.

Washington, Feb. 2.—The administration railroad bill limiting the period of government control of the railroads and providing for compensation to the stockholders will be reported to both houses of congress next week. At the urgent request of Director-General McAdoo, administration leaders will make every effort to expedite passage of the measure. The senate interstate commerce committee voted today to report the measure favorably Monday with the amendments limiting government control to eighteen months after the close of the war and giving the president power to initiate rates subject to appeal to the interstate commerce commission. The committee's action was not unanimous. Senators Cummins and LaFollette, Republicans, announcing that they would submit minority reports.

The house committee by a vote of fifteen to six approved an amendment providing for termination of government control two years after peace is declared. Chairman Sims later announced that his committee would complete consideration of the measure Tuesday or Wednesday and that he would ask unanimous consent for its immediate passage.

Four amendments to limit the time of government control were offered in the house committee. One by Representative Esch, fixed the time at one year after the war, another by Representative Barclay at three years, the third by Representative Parker at eighteen months and the fourth by Representative Montague at two years.

Those voting for the two year amendment were, Montague, Rumsford, Condy, Dewalt, Esch, Hamilton, Parker of New Jersey, Parker of New York; Winslow, Dillon, Sweet, Stiness and Cooper, and those voting against it were Sims, Doremus, Stephens, Barkley, Decker and Hale.

The senate committee left unchanged the original provision in the bill fixing the rate of compensation on the basis of the annual railway operating income for three years ending on June 30, 1917, and the house committee also is expected to agree to this provision which was suggested by the president.

CHICAGO FACES MILK FAMINE

CHICAGO, Feb. 2.—Chicago faced a milk famine today, receiving less than fifty per cent of its normal supply as a result of a boycott by the producers as a protest against the \$3.07 a hundred price fixed for February by the federal milk commission.

Producers meeting in every section of the Chicago district sent telegrams to Food Administrator Hoover asking him to set aside the ruling of the commission on the ground that it discriminates against the producer in favor of the distributor.

TRACK IN CONDITION JUST BEFORE WRECK

CHICAGO, Feb. 2.—The Illinois Central railroad's board of inquiry to determine the cause of the wreck in which four persons were killed at Granger, Ill., on January 28, reported today that inspection had proved that the track was in perfect condition 40 minutes before the disaster. The board also reported that it was unable to determine the cause which spread the rails throwing the Omaha-Chicago train into the ditch. More than thirty persons were injured, some seriously as a result of the disaster.

CONFESSES TO MURDERS

St. Peter, Minn., Feb. 2.—Ralph L. Crosby, committed to the state asylum here January 29 from Yellow Medicine county, confessed to four murders there today. He admitted the murder of John Bell and his wife in Red Oak, Ia., in Aug. 1914. In response to a telegram from Sheriff R. A. Dunn of Montgomery, Ia., the officials here are holding Crosby.

BULLETINS

NORFOLK, Va., Feb. 2.—Fire at the United States naval base at Cherrystone, Va., early today destroyed a large warehouse containing food and clothing. A relief vessel carrying supplies has been sent from Norfolk.

LONDON, Feb. 2.—The British armed boarding steamer Louisa, Lieutenant Commander M. G. Easton, commanding was torpedoed and sunk by a German submarine in the eastern Mediterranean on Jan. 21. Seven officers and 217 men were lost. This official announcement was made tonight.

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—Gregory Weinstein, president of the convention here of Russian Societies was authorized by the convention last today to send to President Wilson a telegram protesting against the "unjust sentence" passed upon Emma Goldman, Alexander Berkman and two other Russian citizens and stating that the convention "demands their immediate release and permission to return to Russia."

BOSTON, Feb. 2.—Jole Ray of the Illinois Athletic Club was the winner of the Hunter Hill race, the principal feature of the indoor games of the Boston Athletic association tonight. His time was four minutes, 24 3/5 seconds, one second behind the record of Oscar F. Peusland of this city in the running of the event in 1912.

MUST TAKE ADVANTAGE INDUSTRIAL SHUTDOWN

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—Railways today received instructions from the railroad administration to take every advantage of the usual Sunday industrial shutdown and the forced suspension Monday under the fuel economy order, to move coal to the big consuming centers in order to accumulate small reserves against possible emergencies. If the railroad situation improves as a result of the two days relief from new shipments and coal gets to markets in bigger quantities, the Monday closing order probably will be revoked.

The delivery of coal today was reported at about the same low average of the past week. More foodstuffs went forward and the movement of empty cars to the west and south for shipment of corn, meat products and cotton was reported considerably better than yesterday. Four special trains of fifty cars each, filled with animal and poultry feed were on their way to New England today, two from Cedar Rapids, Iowa, and two from Milwaukee, to relieve what had been reported as a critical shortage of these commodities.

PLENTY OF AUSTRALIAN WHEAT AVAILABLE

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—Millions of bushels of wheat are available in Australia to feed the armies of the allies if only ships can be obtained. Crawford Vaughan, former premier of South Australia, told 28 state directors of the public service reserve who are aiding the campaign to enroll workers for ship building. The prime need of the allies is ships. Mr. Vaughan said: "There are today 300,000,000 bushels of wheat in my country waiting for tonnage. The workmen in the yards of America must realize that every time they slacken up or take time off the effect is just the same as if their artillery in France stopped the barrage fire during a charge."

Louis F. Post, assistant secretary of labor, sent a reassuring message to the states represented by the directors that the voluntary recruits for industrial war service will be withdrawn from their present positions in such a way as to disturb manufacturing conditions as little as possible.

GENERAL OFFICERS TO BE HELD RESPONSIBLE

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—Insistent recommendations that general officers, colonels and other line officers in my rank be held directly responsible for the training of the officers under them are contained in extracts of reports from General Pershing published here today. There is unflinching criticism of the lack of military knowledge on several vital points displayed by such officers, presumably of the regular army on their arrival in France.

General Pershing notes an "almost total failure to give instructions in principles of military tactics and their practical application in war conditions. Officers from colonels down, and including some general officers, are found ignorant of the handling of units in open warfare including principles of reconnaissance, outposts, advance guard, solution of practical problems and formation of attack. No training whatever has been given in musketry efficiency as distinguished from individual target practice on the range."

DIES FROM INJURIES

Dubuque, Ia., Feb. 2.—James Beach, 86 years old, prominent Dubuque manufacturer, died early this morning at a hospital here from injuries received January 24, when he was thrown from a cutter. The accident occurred when the sleigh became entangled in street car tracks. Mr. Beach was one of Dubuque's pioneer business men.

CHECK STOCK YARDS FIRE

Quebec, Feb. 2.—Fire which for a time today threatened to destroy the Quebec Stock Yards and Abattoirs at Lincoln, a suburb, and called out the entire fighting force of this city was quickly extinguished with a loss of about \$8,000. The main buildings were saved.

TWO U. S. SOLDIERS KILLED IN ACTION; FOUR WOUNDED

Names of Men Who Fell During Recent German Trench Raid

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—Two American soldiers were killed in action and four others slightly wounded Jan. 30, the war department was advised today by General Pershing.

Altho no details were given, it is assumed that these were the men who fell when the Germans raided a sector of the American trenches under cover of a barrage fire early last Wednesday morning. The dead are:

Corporal Erwin March, Infantry, Slayton Minn., and Private George A. Raub, Infantry, New York.

The wounded are: Private John Theron Parks, Infantry, Ohio; Raymond J. Gillett, Infantry, Minn.; N. D. Clarence King, Infantry, 2847 Ambria Annex, Toledo, O.; and Clarence A. Laiton, Infantry, Tunbridge, N. D. General Pershing also reported that Private Herbert C. Minniear, medical detachment of Infantry, was slightly wounded in action January 23 and Harvey Dilley, Infantry, slightly wounded Jan. 31. Minniear's home is in Bluffton, Ind., and Dilley's in Cole Harbor, N. D.

Alien National Guardsmen Are Given Discharge

DEMING, N. M., Feb. 2.—One hundred twenty-four allied soldiers of the thirty-fourth national guard division, comprising former national guardsmen of Minnesota, Iowa, South Dakota and Nebraska were ordered discharged from the army today "for the good of the service."

The action was taken on instructions from the adjutant general at Washington. The men who were members of sixteen organizations in the division which is in training at Camp Cody, near here, will not be interned but will be given travel pay and allowances and permitted to proceed to their homes. They will not be recommended for re-enlistment.

This action follows the discharge yesterday of seven Austrians and one German who were ordered held for civil officers as enemy aliens. The eight men discharged yesterday were alleged to have made statements disloyal to the United States.

PREACHER PREDICTS GERMAN REVOLUTION

AN ATLANTIC PORT, Feb. 2.—Opinion that unless the war ends within the year 1918 there will be a revolution which will overthrow the Hohenzollerns in Germany was expressed by the Rev. Aloysius Daniels of Hewitt, Wis., upon his arrival here today.

"The people of Germany are starving," said Mr. Daniels, who for three years has been studying in Westphalia. "There are few left who are more than fifty years old, all succumbing to lack of nutrition, while the death rate among the children is frightful."

MAY ABANDON Y. M. C. A. WORK IN ITALY ARMY

ROME, Feb. 2.—It is uncertain whether the Y. M. C. A. work in the army can be organized in this country. According to the latest information to the American embassy in Rome, Dr. John S. Nollen, head of the proposed organization in Italy may be compelled to abandon the plans unless the Y. M. C. A. is permitted to work along the same lines as it does in France.

A despatch from Paris Jan. 18 said that the headquarters of the Y. M. C. A. army and navy work was being established in Italy under the name "opera di Fratellanza Universale."

The despatch added that Dr. Nollen, president of Lake Forest College, Illinois, has been director of the Italian work and had left for Rome with his executive staff to make further arrangements.

WILL MANAGE CAMPAIGN

Chicago, Feb. 2.—Len Small of Kankakee, Ill., will manage Mayor Thompson's campaign for the Republican nomination for United States senator. It was announced today. Mr. Small is treasurer of Illinois and one of the most widely known Republicans in the state.

OHIO STATE DEFEATED

Chicago, Feb. 2.—Northwestern defeated Ohio State 57 to 47 in a western conference basketball game tonight.

War News Summarized

Germany's workers are still in a restless mood and altho the strike movement appears to be on the wane, largely thru the adoption of drastic measures by the authorities there are threats of further demonstrations and a continuation of sporadic disorders.

Berlin and its environs remain the center of the disturbance. The city is under military control which finds a particular demonstration in a number of factories where strikes are in progress. These have been militarized according to current despatches and the workers warned to report for work by Monday morning or undergo military discipline.

The most serious disturbances appear to have occurred in Berlin on Thursday, when crowds got out of hand, overturned street cars, interfered with workers who had kept to their employment and frequently collided with the police. In one case when a panic broke out after a shot had been fired the police are declared to have charged with drawn sabres, thirty strikers and many onlookers being wounded. At Spandau, an important suburb, there were similar disorders and a mob is reported to have attacked soldier guards. A nation wide demonstration is threatened over the arrest of the deputy William Dittmann, one of the Independent Socialists leaders, for attempting to address a street crowd. The completeness of the military control of Berlin is indicated by the report of refusal of Chancellor von Herting to order the deputy's release when asked to do so, giving as a reason that he was powerless to interfere as the capital was entirely in military hands. The semi-official statement sent from Berlin on Friday night declares that Friday's disturbances were of a minor nature, that men were returning to work and that prevailing opinion was that the strike had passed the high watermark. The Krupp plant at Essen, was in full swing. It was asserted while work was again proceeding in the shipyards at Hamburg and Danzig and was to have been resumed at Kiel on Saturday.

Meanwhile countries contiguous to Germany are threatened with labor troubles. Holland is preparing to cope with a general strike to be called in Amsterdam on Monday and a cloud of difficulties with the industrial elements appears to be hanging over Switzerland. Developments in connection with the Brest-Litovsk peace negotiations were virtually nil. It is revealed however, that the Germans are determined to keep Bolshevik agitators out of Poland, permission having been refused to Russian delegates to Brest-Litovsk to visit Warsaw. A request for the repatriation of Polish troops in the Russian army also has been met with a negative response.

In Ukraine the Bolsheviks seemed to have gained the ascendancy thru their capture of Kiev, insuring the authority of the Bolshevik rada. A revolutionary government is reported to have been set up by the victors. Russian Bolshevik forces and the Finnish militia are reported to be engaged in battle near Kerava. The Finnish white guard is said to have gained control over the northern section of Finland. Refractory elements of the Petrograd government have arrived at Viborg.

On the battle fronts in France military activity for the most part has been confined to raids by the French, British and German patrols. On the sector of the French front occupied by American troops interference by American troops has been in progress. A distance of only sixty yards separate the American and German trenches at some points.

PROVE GERMAN REPORTS UNRELIABLE

LONDON, Feb. 2.—The German newspapers claim that in the first year of the unrestricted submarine warfare nine million tons of allied and neutral shipping were sunk and that only four million tons have been built to offset this. As showing how unreliable is the information which the German authorities give out the Associated Press is authorized to state that the claim put forward exaggerates the actual tonnage lost by more than fifty per cent. The total net loss of the world's ocean-going tonnage since the outbreak of the war, including the losses by marine risk as well as by enemy action and allowing for enemy tonnage captured amounts to less than three million tons or, roughly, nine per cent of the tonnage available at the outbreak of the war.

CROSS-EXAMINATION OF SEC. BAKER TUESDAY

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—While senators prepared speeches for delivery next week in support of measures to establish a war cabinet and create a munitions director the senate military committee today arranged to recall Secretary Baker next Tuesday for cross-examination regarding his statement before the committee last Monday on achievements of the war department. Senator Hitchcock of Nebraska, Democratic member of the military committee plans to address the senate Monday in support of the bill and is expected to reply to Mr. Baker. He and other senators supporting the legislation which President Wilson is actively opposing are preparing for sharp cross examination of the secretary Tuesday.

COUNCIL CLOSING MEETING

Versailles, Feb. 2.—The supreme war council of Premiers and generals today closed the present series of general meetings. Premier Clemenceau of France presided at the meeting.

Eleven Escape Massacre By a Pretense of Death

JUAREZ, Mex., Feb. 2.—Smeared with blood from their own wounds to give their pretense of death a semblance of reality, eleven survivors of the work train massacre at Diaz Station, twenty-five miles south of Santa Rosalia last Saturday were brought to Chihuahua City Monday and are being cared for in the military hospital there according to a passenger who arrived here on the Mexican Central railroad late today. One of the survivors was a foreigner. The others were Mexicans. These survivors told the officials in Chihuahua City of horrors which occurred at Diaz Station that placed the massacre in the list of committed Santa Ysabel, Laguna, Armandarez and Rellano, all of which have been credited to ville and his band.

Villa was in personal command of the attacking force at Diaz Station the survivors reported. He evidently ordered all on board the train killed as the entire escort of federal troops and all but the eleven survivors were either shot during the fighting or executed afterward. The total dead numbered 142. Ingenuity of the eleven survivors in smearing their faces with blood from their bullet wounds and their feigning death after the first assault was apparently all that saved them.

SHONTS DEFENDS BLOOMER COSTUME

Head of N. Y. City Car Lines Comes Back at Critics of "Conductorette's" Costume.

New York, Feb. 2.—Theodore P. Shonts, president of the company that runs most of New York city's car lines having decreed some time ago that the "conductorettes" recently employed to replace men, should wear bloomers as a part of their uniform, now comes forward to defend the costume against the criticism that it is immodest.

In a letter to critics he made public tonight, the railway president says: "Compared with the distorted figure of the days of tight lacing, the unsightly bustle, the unwieldy hoop-skirt and pantalette, as well as the present—what shall I say—near waistless party or theater gown, the cross saddle riding habit, the average summer resort bathing suit, the peek-a-boo shirtwaist, the short street skirt, with its far-short-of-reaching high top shoes, I repeat as compared with these, I consider the neat business-like uniform of our conductorettes, with its knee-length semi-military coat, closely buttoned collar, easy fitting bloomers and puttee covered legs, a splendid example of a modest, practical utility dress. "If, in favor of common sense and patriotism women have courage to sweep aside hide-bound conventions that they may better do their bit why should we attempt to handicap them with false notions of modesty about dress?"

STRIKE IN GERMANY BEGINNING TO RECEDE

STOCKHOLM, Feb. 2.—Reports received here from Berlin indicate that the strike has reached its high water mark and now is beginning to recede. The majority Socialists appear to have been half-hearted in the movement from the beginning and the strike has been strongly opposed by the Catholic trades unions and by the Hirsch Duncker Union which is the largest non-Socialist trades union in Germany.

Another factor against the success of the strike has been the opposition from the non-socialist parties in the reichstag majority bloc. The Freisinnige Zeitung, apparently speaking with authority declares that the progressive party will have nothing to do with this new tendency in the Socialist party and that the Socialists alone must accept the consequences of their actions. A notice of the same import has been given by the national liberals and the clericals and the Socialists today clearly are face to face with the prospect that if the strike continues the reichstag bloc will be disrupted and the government will be disposed to leave the Socialists out of its councils.

WHISKY IS AGAIN FOUND GUILTY

EL PASO, Texas, Feb. 2.—A Mexican drug similar to Indian hemp together with cheap Mexican whiskey was today held responsible by Corporal J. M. Deaver for the death of five and the wounding of a sixth person here late last night. Felipe Alvarez, crazed from using the drug, shot and instantly killed the two small sons of Mrs. Trinidad Lucero, wounded the mother and killed Policeman Perea and Deputy City Tax Collector Juan Garcia after barricading himself in his home in the Mexican quarter.

Alvarez was killed when a charge of dynamite dislodged him from his refuge.

ESTOPPAGE AGAINST CLAIMS

Chicago, Feb. 2.—Coal producers of Illinois were officially informed today that the Garfield Fuel order is an estoppage against claims of damages against them when their fuel output is ordered diverted from contract holders to preferred users.

CHICAGO DEFEATS ILLINOIS

Chicago, Feb. 2.—Chicago defeated Illinois 23 to 19 in a Western conference basketball game tonight. Anderson scored three baskets for Illinois.

ST. LOUIS STREET CAR MOTORMEN-CONDUCTOR STRIKE

Walkout Ordered When Company Fails to Accede to Demands

BULLETIN ST. LOUIS, Mo., Feb. 3.—At 1:20 o'clock this morning (Sunday), car service on the St. Louis street car lines had completely stopped. Bruce Cameron, superintendent of the Union Railways, early today telephoned to Governor Gardner at Jefferson City asking him to authorize the use of the St. Louis Home Guard to protect the property of the street car company and its workers. So far as known Governor Gardner has not answered.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 2.—A strike of street car motormen and conductors was ordered at 10:45 o'clock tonight effective as the cars are turned in at the conclusion of the night runs.

Two hundred members of the newly chartered local of the Amalgamated Association of Street and Electric Railway Employees attended a secret meeting tonight to decide on action following failure of the United Railways to accede to their demands. These demands did not reach President McCulloch of the United Railways until late this evening as he was in the country all day. Organizers claim that 1,500 motormen and conductors have joined the union.

Officials of the company say only a few hundred men have joined the union. The United Railway controls all the traction lines in St. Louis, and with one or two small lines, all the suburban lines on the Missouri side of the river. It does not operate the lines in East St. Louis or the interurban lines on the Illinois side.

A few weeks ago the company began to train women conductors. Only a few women are employed and they work on trailer cars. Several conductors recently quit in protest against women being given daylight runs, but the company claims that it did not discriminate against the men but sent out the women only after all the old employees had been given runs.

Order Being Obeyed. At midnight reports from the various car barns indicated that the strike order was being obeyed, though extensively it was impossible to ascertain. Reports also were received of violence at the barns at Park and Vandeventer avenues, where the general offices of the company are located.

SPEEDING UP GENERAL STAFF ACTIVITIES

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—Speeding of general staff activities is expected to follow appointment of Major General Peyton C. March, as acting chief of the army, announcement of which depends only on advice from General Pershing that the officer can be spared from his duties as chief of artillery of the expeditionary forces.

Secretary Baker would not discuss his plans today, but it is known that he has determined on General March as the most suitable officer to take over the work of this important post. General Bliss, the staff chief, will remain in France as the permanent representative of the United States on the supreme war council which determines policies to be carried out on the various fronts. General March's appointment as acting chief carries with it as much weight as tho he were to be made chief of staff and his policies will be his own. Officers who know him say he will not hesitate to assert himself and take control of the situation.

DATE OF HEARING SET FOR BIG RATE CASE

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Feb. 2.—A hearing on the application of thirteen traction companies of the Illinois Traction System to increase various sorts of rates was set today by the public utilities commission for Tuesday, February 19, at Springfield.

Cities affected are Springfield, Jacksonville, Urbana, Champaign, Decatur, Clinton, Danville, Bloomington Normal, Cairo, Galesburg, Peoria and Mound City. Advances in gas and electric rates and in street car fares are asked.

BASKETBALL RESULTS

At Peoria—Bradley, 14; Weisjeau, 31.

WEATHER INDICATIONS AND TEMPERATURES

Illinois:—Unsettled Sunday, probably light snow, colder at night; Monday fair and colder.

Temperatures

The current, maximum and minimum temperatures as recorded Saturday were:

Jacksonville	21	28	— 8
Boston	22	26	— 2
Buffalo	16	18	— 4
New York	20	20	— 6
New Orleans	52	54	50
Chicago	21	24	— 2
Detroit	16	22	— 2
Omaha	32	32	— 4
Minneapolis	16	18	— 2
Helena	28	32	10
San Francisco	56	56	44
Winnipeg	—12	— 8	—12

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We hope the ground hog was
frozen up so that he could not see
his shadow.

Lloyd George wants a million
American soldiers in France by July.
We'll do our best to accommodate.

Bismark, Dakota, and New Berlin,
Ohio, are petitioning to have their
names changed. It should be promptly
granted.

Spain has managed to help Ger-
many thru the trade that country
has had with us. The proper steps
have been to shut off ships ready to
sail for Spain.

Maximilian Harden, the German
editor, favors peace along President
Wilson's lines, and is willing to re-
store Alsace and Lorraine to France,
believing that Germany committed a
wrong in annexing them in 1871 as
war spoils.

TAFT'S WARNING.
In addressing students at Hamp-
ton Institute Mr. Taft said, "We
are neither Republicans nor Demo-
crats now—we are Americans in this
righteous war." The ex-president is
among the loyal, truly, but he added
a word of warning that should be
taken soberly as well: "Do not al-
low yourself to be misled by the
thought that peace is near."

WHEN THE DAY IS DONE.
I have eaten a bale
Of spinach and kale,
And I've never raised a row,
I have swallowed a can
Of moistened bran
And I feel like a brindle cow.
I am taking a snack
From the old haystack
In the evening shadows gray.
And I'm glad, you bet,
At last to get
To the end of a meatless day.
—Washington Star.

TRIBUTE TO OUR SOLDIERS.
The London Observer, Mr. W. A.
Appeton, Secretary of the General
Federation of Trades Unions, writ-
ing in the Federation organ for this
month, makes appreciative reference

to the Americans whom he saw dur-
ing his recent visit to France.
"I noticed almost everywhere," he
writes, "samples of the American
armies that we are expecting will
enable the Allies to clear France of
the Germans. Most of the men are
fine specimens of humanity, and
those with whom I spoke showed no
signs of the braggadocio which is
too frequently attributed to America.
They were quiet, well spoken fel-
lows, fully alive to the seriousness
of the task they had undertaken,
and apparently having but one re-
gret—that they had not come into
the war soon enough. They quite
realized the difference between tak-
ing effective action in the spring of
1917 and having to defer that until
the spring of 1918. It was pleasant
to talk to these fellows and to derive
encouragement from their quiet, un-
obtrusive strength."

WHERE VICTORY BELONGS.
Down in the trench and out on the
line.
Bearing the cold without murmur or
sign.
There where the shells so deadly are
hurled,
Brave are our lads who fight for
the world.
Over them flies our flag in the sky,
Spurring them on to dare and to die.
Let us be doing to help them along.
Cheering them ever with smile and
with song.
Giving for those who are off to the
war.
Praying for those who follow our
"stars."
Guided by hand unseen thru the
night.
Oh may the victory rest with the
right.

Bared are their breasts to saber and
ball,
Lads who have answered our Old
Glory's call.
Purpose unselfish, freedom the goal.
Entering in with the heart and the
soul.
Giving their best, giving their joys:
Oh may the victory rest with our
boys.
—S. A. Hughes.

MORE OF THEM HELD.
At the time the call for the first
draft was issued and subsequently
the Galesburg Republican-Register
wondered why it was that so many
of the men were rejected for seem-
ingly trivial reasons, such as per-
haps the loss of a tooth, or a slight
defect in vision, or some other slight
physical disability that did not at
any time bar a fellow from the or-
dinary pursuits of life. But a vast
number were rejected for slight de-
fects. It seems that now the gov-
ernment has made a revision of the
requirements and that they are not
so rigid but that the average young
man can have a show. It has been
the experience of the army the last
few months that many of the minor
defects can be cured, so that physi-
cally a man is improved. The weight
has been reduced and increased so
that men of one hundred pounds

and the large men alike can now get
in.

After all size does not count for
so much. The history of the world
shows that courage is not confined
to the big men, and that capacity
cannot be measured by bulk. If
Fenston had posed before some of
the present examiners his size
might have barred him. There is
no telling what would have become
of the gallant Phil Sheridan had he
been forced before he enlisted to
submit to a severe physical test. No
one can tell much now about his
physical condition then, but all know
that he could fight like a fury. Gen-
eral Grant was but medium sized
and at the time of his enlistment
was slight.

Perhaps even Napoleon Bonaparte
might, such was the delicacy of his
health, not have passed muster.

Some of the greatest military
leaders of the world would not have
passed by exact standards, but it
was a quality that cannot be meas-
ured or estimated that made them
great—it was mind capacity, genius
for execution, the power of mastery
of details.

After all one is glad that the gov-
ernment has lifted the ban, and given
all these many thousands a
chance to show what is in them.

GET READY FOR THE WATER REPORT.

The public will hear with great
and sincere pleasure that the long
anticipated report from the Illinois
water survey and associated organi-
zations on the Jacksonville water
supply situation will be presented
during the coming week. There have
been many delays in the investigation
work on which this report was to be
submitted and consequently the report is
months overdue. A statement made
by the engineer for the water sur-
vey yesterday was to the effect that
the report had not been written but that
all the data was in readiness and
that the statement will be prepared
at once and forwarded to Jackso-
nvile.

No one here has any intimation of
what the report will be, but gener-
ally speaking it is to be expected that
the engineers will make a statement
with reference to the north side sta-
tion indicating whether or not in
their opinion the supply from that
source can be greatly increased. It
is entirely probable that the ques-
tion of a large impounding reservoir
will also be discussed at length, es-
timates made as to the amount of
water which such a reservoir would
hold, and the probable cost of con-
struction. There may be estimates
or suggestions with reference to some
other possible sources of supply.

The important thing for the people
of Jacksonville after they have this
report for their guidance and con-
sideration will be to get together on
some plan and push it speedily to a
glad accomplishment. The danger
in the proposition is that a diver-
gence of views as to the best plan to
follow will result in a long discus-
sion and possibly inaction.

If you are a public spirited citizen

of Jacksonville and are now fully
convinced that the north side station
should be developed and a large
number of wells bored there, be pre-
pared to surrender that well fixed
opinion and join in with the advo-
cates of some other program.

If you have all along maintained
that no adequate and permanent
supply can be obtained at the north side
station and have felt that a large
storage reservoir was the only safe
and sane plan, prepare yourself to
surrender your own opinions and to
aid heartily in pushing to a realiza-
tion a well development plan.

Then if you have always known
because of your study of the question
that the only practical method of se-
curing a permanent water supply
here is to dredge and otherwise en-
large Morgan lake, forget all about
that plan if it later develops that a
majority of your friends and ac-
quaintances favor some other plan.

This is going to be a time to set
aside any mere personal views or
prejudices and to look at the water
question in a large and generous way.

Rippling Rhymes By WALT MASON

DON'T SPOIL IT.
The man who lives nine doors from
me has hustled since the war began;
and it was truly good to see the way
he boomed each helpful plan. He
made me buy another bond, although
I'd bought all I could stand. "Twill
help our boys across the pond," he
said, "to get the Teuton canned." For
Red Cross funds he humped
around, and made me dig a guinea
more, though I had just coughed up
a pound, and owed much money at
the store. "Here is a man" I often
said, "who does as much to win the
fight as one who leaves a swath of
dead to shock the kaiser's brooding
sight." But yesterday he came to
me, this patriot whom I admired, and
when he'd talked an hour or three,
he left me feeling pretty tired.
"No doubt," he said, "you've marked
my curves, you've seen me boasting
worthy things; and every patriot de-
serves the guerdon of his toil, by
jings. This year I'll be a candidate
for congress—for I need the dimes;
I hope you'll keep your hair on
straight and vote for me at least six
times." Oh idols with their feet of
clay! Still whitened sepulchres we
find! Can't this broad land pro-
duce a jay who has no cheap john
ax to grind?

**Remember the big patri-
otic mass meeting at Cen-
tral Christian church Mon-
day night. Official U. S.
government representatives
will bring vivid war front
reports.**

WAVERLY TEACHER IN U. S. AVIATION CORPS

W. J. LeGrand, Manual Training
Teacher at High School, Left Fri-
day to Enter the Government
Service—Walker Funeral Held
Thursday—Other Waverly News.

Waverly, Feb. 2.—The funeral of Mrs.
N. R. Walker, who died at Spring-
field hospital was held at 2 o'clock
P. M. Thursday at the First M. E.
church in charge of the pastor, Rev. F.
E. Smith. Burial was made in East cem-
etery.

The remains of Newton Jackson who
died Saturday at his home in Prosperity,
Mo., arrived here Wednesday and were
taken to the residence of his brother P. L.
Jackson where funeral services were
held at 10:30 A. M. Thursday, conducted
by Rev. M. S. Metzler, pastor of the
Christian church. Interment was made
in East cemetery. Mr. Jackson formerly
resided here having left here about
19 years ago.

The fourth number of the Lyceum
course will be held at the high school on
Friday evening, Feb. 9, at the high
school auditorium.

W. J. LeGrand, manual training teach-
er at the high school, left Friday, having
been called to service in the aviation
corps. His successor has not been se-
lected.

Revival meetings will commence at
Vance Temple church Tuesday evening,
Feb. 5, under the leadership of Rev. H. R.
Otto of Girard.

Miss Marion Fairbank of Jacksonville
delivered an lecture Friday afternoon at
the high school on the Illinois Centennial.
Mrs. Nellie Bradford has received word
that her son Guy has enlisted in the avi-
ation corps at Richmond, Va.
Miss Ella Grosdel of Petersburg is mak-
ing a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs.
J. P. Kennedy.

Fred Harney has gone to Arkansas on a
few days business trip.
The Sunday evening union services will
be held at the Christian church, Rev. J.
Jones, pastor of the M. E. church,
South, will deliver the sermon.
Mrs. E. A. Elliott is visiting relatives
in Springfield this week.

BROOKLYN MINSTREL Tuesday, Feb. 5th At 1008 South Main.

COL. SMITH DYING.

Peoria, Ill., Feb. 2.—Col. Fred-
erick H. Smith, prominent Republi-
can politician and member of the
state centennial commission is dy-
ing in St. Luke's hospital in Chicago.
He is not expected to live thru the
night. Colonel Smith left here about
two weeks ago for French Lick
Springs and remained there until
last Saturday when with Mrs. Smith
he went to Chicago, entering the
hospital Tuesday.

BUILDING RADIO STATION.

Washington, Feb. 2.—Direct radio
communication between Washington
and American army headquarters in
France will be made possible this
year with the completion of the \$2-
500,000 radio station now being
built in France by the navy depart-
ment which has charge of all radio
work. Available French stations are
not of sufficient power for trans-
Atlantic communication at least on
the scale desired by the United
States.

THE NEWBY SALE TUESDAY

Attend William Newby's sale at
farm seven miles northwest of city.
Tuesday, Feb. 5th, beginning at
9 o'clock. Good horses, cows, feed,
implements and household goods will
be sold.

SPRINGFIELD WINS IN GRUELLING GAME

Visiting Players Treated to the
Surprise of Their Young Lives at
David Prince Gymnasium Satur-
day Night—Jacksonville Comes
Back in Second Half and Out-
plays Visitors—Hard Luck Basket
Shooting Kept Locals From Win-
ning.

Springfield defeated Jacksonville at
basketball at David Prince gymnasium
Saturday night in a gruelling game. In-
cidentally, however, the Springfield play-
ers were treated to the surprise of their
young lives.

After trailing the first half Jackso-
nvile came to life in the second half and
outplayed Springfield, the score in this
half being 10 to 6 in favor of Jacksonville.
But for some hard luck basket shooting,
Jacksonville would have won the game.
Time and again the local players made
shots that rolled around the ring and
then dropped outside. One of Reeve's
shots even went down in and then came
out.

As was predicted Foscover is about 95
per cent of the scoring power of the
Springfield five this year. Coach Hoover
had built a defense particularly to stop
Foscover. That the defense proved suc-
cessful is shown by the fact that the big
Russian only made one basket in the first
half and two in the second half. He
also threw four foul baskets. Aside from
Foscover there is not much to the Spring-
field team this year, the loss of Dunne
and Elison taking about eighty per cent
from the strength of the capital city
boys.

All of the Jacksonville men deserve
credit for the game they put up. Play-
ing like that of last night against teams
that have been played previously would
have returned the locals to the long end
of the score in a majority of them.

The guarding of Smith, Green and
Reeve was of the best when the game
began. The place in the latter part of the
second half, was of high order. The
work of Smith and Elker, and especially
of Smith, was to take care of Foscover
and believe us, this was some job to
hand anybody. However, Smith did his
work well and in the second half Elker
gave attention to Foscover. The game
was a rough one from beginning to end,
both sides committing personal fouls.
Foscover was compelled to leave the game
in the last five minutes play for com-
mitting four personal fouls. The game was
so rough during the first half that Coach
R. E. Harmon of Illinois College was
"ressed into service as umpire to assist
Referee Potter in the second half.

Reeve was the best offensive player for
Jacksonville and held the individual high
score for both teams with a total of 11
points. Foscover scored the greatest
number of points for Springfield. Har-
ney was compelled to leave the game be-
fore the first half was over on account
of a cold and was replaced by Gustaf-
son. The score:

Jacksonville	P.G.	F.T.	Tl.
Harney, F.	1	0	2
Reeve, F.	4	3	11
Gustafson, F.	0	0	0
Smith, E.	0	0	0
Green, G.	0	0	0
Elker, G.	0	0	0
Bento, G.	0	0	0
Totals	5	3	13

Springfield	P.G.	F.T.	Tl.
Foscover, F.	2	3	10
Tate, F.	1	0	2
Teasley, C.	2	0	4
Sternman, G.	0	0	0
Hodde, G.	0	0	0
Totals	5	3	16

Referee, Potter. Umpire, College.

ROUT 14: BLACKBURN 37
Rout College met defeat at the hands
of Blackburn University in a football
Saturday evening by a score of 37 to 14.
The Rout team had a rough experience
getting to Carlinville. Coach Connor
started from here with him Friday after-
noon. The Burlington train was several
hours late and the team was marooned
in car at all night, consuming their jour-
ney Saturday morning. The Rout men
held Blackburn to a 13 to 8 score in the
first half. In the second half, however,
the effects of the trip began to tell on
them and they faltered and Blackburn
ran up a large score. The score:

Blackburn	P.G.	F.T.	Tl.
Norrigan, F.	3	0	6
Foley, F.	3	3	9
Denby, C.	0	0	0
Simpson, G.	0	0	0
Deshane, G.	0	0	0
McKinney, G.	0	0	0
Totals	17	3	37

Rout	P.G.	F.T.	Tl.
Conney, F.	2	0	4
Rook, F.	2	0	4
Walsh, C.	1	0	2
Kennedy, G.	2	0	4
Bonahsinga, G.	0	0	0
Totals	7	0	14

FRANKLIN 15, PETERSBURG 31
Petersburg won from Franklin high at
Franklin Saturday night by a score of 31
to 15. The Petersburg team showed a re-
markable reversal of form over Friday
night when they were defeated at Waverly
by a score of 15 to 13. The Peters-
burg team outplayed Franklin at all
stages of the game and the result was
never in doubt after the first few min-
utes of play.

Franklin Independents will hook up
with the Virginia Independents at Mar-
quette Hall next Tuesday evening. It will
be the last game the team will play under
Truett Stewart. The score:

Petersburg	P.G.	F.T.	Tl.
Peterson, F.	4	0	8
Shely, F.	1	0	2
Davis, F.	0	0	0
Watson, F.	0	0	0
Diaheim, G.	0	0	0
Totals	5	0	10

Franklin	P.G.	F.T.	Tl.
Wood, F.	2	0	4
R. Wood, F.	2	0	4
Ryan, C.	0	0	0
McCready, G.	0	0	0
Ranson, G.	0	0	0
B. Snyder, G.	0	0	0
Calhoun, G.	0	0	0
Totals	4	0	8

Referee, Stewart. Umpire, Franklin.

WATER SAVING

must be kept up to a still greater
extent. We must accumu-
late some reserve for fire fight-
ing.

JOSHUA VASCONCELLOS,

Commissioner

A FINE PROMOTION

Tracy Alexander, son of Mr. and
Mrs. W. D. Alexander, formerly of
this city has been sent to France on
a special commission in the cavalry
arm of the service and is probably
now on the water or "somewhere in
that land." The young man is the
only son of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander
and while deeply regretting to have
him enter the army at the same time
they are glad to do all in their power
for the great cause.

Until noon Monday you can
buy choice pork chops for 29c
lb. White Pig Market.

TRAINS ANNULLED

In order that coal, oil, food stuff
and government freight can be mov-
ed the following passenger trains on
the C. & A. railroad have been an-
nulled for today, Feb. 3, 11 due here
at 5:23 a. m. and No. 17-18 St. Louis
which leaves here at 8:45 and No. 46
north bound due here at 12:55.

Savings Deposits

made during the first
ten days of February
will bear interest from
the First of the month.

Elliott State Bank

Stop! Look! Listen!

Fancy Shorts

\$2.35

Per 100 Pounds

—at—

Cain Mills

223 West Lafayette

Either Phone 240

UNNATURALIZED GERMANS TO BE REGISTERED

Machinery of Department of Justice
to Be Set in Motion Tomorrow for
Registration of all Unnaturalized
Germans in Continental U. S.—
Outline of Plan.

Washington, Feb. 2.—Bright and early
Monday morning the machinery of the
department of justice will be set in mo-
tion throughout the land for the regis-
tration of the half million unnaturalized
Germans in the continental United
States. The task will mark the most far-
reaching, and many respects the most
important step yet taken by the govern-
ment as a means of minimizing the dan-
ger from enemy sympathizers in this
country.

Police officials, federal marshals and
special agents and postal authorities, to
whom the active administration of the
registration has been intrusted, have
been sent their final instructions to gov-
ern the work. In the larger cities the
chief of police and his assistants will ad-
minister the registration. In smaller com-
munities and rural districts registration
will be conducted by the postmaster and
the postmaster of the largest office in
the federal judicial district, which is to
be considered the unit for gathering the
census returns, will be the chief regis-
tration officer to gather the reports from
the others and forward them to the
United States marshal and the depart-
ment of justice.

The registration will involve the gather-
ing of detail information concerning the
family and business relations and
habits of every German, with his photo-
graph and finger prints. After registering
he must carry his certificate card and
man not change his place of residence
without the approval of the police or
postmaster. Violations of the regulation
will be punishable by interment for the
war.

The census will be confined to unnat-
uralized Germans over 16 years of age
because those who are younger are not
classed as alien enemies according to
law. Subjects of Austria-Hungary will
not be included.

Certificate cards will be issued only
after a complete verification of the facts
is made. The information obtained is ex-
pected to be of distinct value in running
down enemy plots and propaganda.
Every German will be required to go to
the registrar and make one trip to ob-
tain information blanks and to fur-
nish four photographs of himself—one
for each affidavit and one for his regis-
tration card. The photograph must bear
his signature written across the front.
The affidavits will contain a
record of the name, address, age, place
of birth, occupations and residence since
Jan. 1, 1914, date of arrival in the United

States, whether married, names and ages
of children, whether the registrant has,
or has had any relative in arms against
the United States, whether registered
for the draft, military training, natural-
ization conditions and similar infor-
mation. A full description of the men and
the prints of each finger must be taken
by the registrar. The registrant must
swear to the affidavit before the regis-
trating officer.

Germans not at their place of residence
during the coming week may be regis-
tered in the district in which they may
happen to be.

The general oversight of the work of
registration has been intrusted to John
Lord O'Brien, special assistant to At-
torney-General Gregory. Mr. O'Brien
will be assisted by a special staff of
lawyers, as well as the officers of the
department of justice throughout the
country.

In outlining the plans and purposes of
the registration the department of jus-
tice has taken particular pains to avoid
creating the impression that the gov-
ernment looks on each German with suspi-
cion. Instructions have been issued to
every officer connected with the task
that they are to deal with the registrants
in a courteous and friendly manner.

The registration will involve a large
amount of clerical work in Chicago, New
York, Cincinnati, St. Louis, Milwaukee,
and other cities having a large German
element in their population. In all of
these cities the registration will be con-
ducted by the police departments under
the supervision of the federal officers.

VALENTINE GREETINGS

We have a new line of cards and
novelties for your inspection.

LANE'S BOOK STORE

VALUABLE POULTRY

A short time since a man brought
in 125 hens and took home \$165 for
them. Yesterday morning Mr. Riggs,
manager of the Hatfield commission
house in this city, went out to the
Garvin sale and bought a lot of fine
Buff Orpington hens and of Mr.
Bourne a lot of Plymouth Rocks and
left at the two places a little more
than \$300.

It would seem as if the words of
Mr. Heimlich on the poultry question
were worth heeding.

Mrs. Abbott, Ill. 881. Special

prices in fur remodeling

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Felix E. Farrell to Anna F. Crab-
tree, quit claim deed northeast quar-
ter 7-15-10, \$1.

Scott's Theatre

Matinee and Night MONDAY Matinee and Night

The Supreme Combination of Motion Picture Genius

CITY AND COUNTY

Austin Patterson of the northwest direction visited the city yesterday.

Mrs. William Ryan of Franklin was a city shopper yesterday.

Joseph Fligg was a city arrival from Lynnville yesterday.

Henry Hall of Alexander was a city arrival yesterday.

P. J. Woulfe of the southwesterly direction was a city caller yesterday.

Henry Weeks of Alton was a city arrival yesterday.

J. B. Ratliff of Concord was among the travelers to the city yesterday.

R. V. Naylor was a city arrival from Arenzville yesterday.

George Bolton was a city arrival from Franklin yesterday.

T. U. Fox was down to the city

from Sinclair yesterday.

Clinton Corrington rode into town from New Berla yesterday.

Lon McFarland of the westerly direction visited the city yesterday.

Samuel Henry was up to the city from Woodson yesterday.

Allinson Thomas was a city arrival from Markham yesterday.

Larry Flynn of the northeasterly direction visited the city yesterday.

Mrs. Henry Ridder helped represent Alexander in the city yesterday.

Edward F. Seymour was up to the city from Franklin yesterday.

William Mortimer of Woodson called in town yesterday.

Ernest Visser of Alexander was a visitor with city friends yesterday.

C. W. Zellar helped represent Chandler in the city yesterday.

O. O. Scott of Arenzville was calling on city people yesterday.

O. S. Shelton was up to the city from Murrayville yesterday.

James Myers was a representative of Murrayville in the city yesterday.

John Ormond of Orleans made a business trip to the city yesterday.

Carl Wilson helped represent Pisgah in the city yesterday.

Elmer Jones of Nortonville was among the city visitors yesterday.

George Coker was up to the city from Pisgah yesterday.

James Gaddis rode in from Concord yesterday in his Buick car.

N. T. Fox was a representative of Sinclair in the city yesterday.

John Koyne of Murrayville was among the city arrivals yesterday.

Dale Whitlock of Woodson was a visitor with city people yesterday.

T. N. Bush made a trip from Murrayville to the city yesterday.

Haven Green of Naples was added to the list of city arrivals yesterday.

Mrs. William Ryan of Franklin was added to the list of city shoppers yesterday.

Clay Roach of Franklin made a trip to the city in his Buick car yesterday.

R. L. Povey of the southwesterly direction was among the city arrivals yesterday.

Ellis Thompson of Arcadia was among the visitors in the city yesterday.

Van Seymour of the southeast part of the county was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Aldo Hierman of Arenzville was among the visitors with city people yesterday.

Jesse Butler of Woodson precinct

was among the city callers yesterday.

Joseph Norman of Orleans was among the business men of the city yesterday.

George Jameson of Buckhorn neighborhood called on city friends yesterday.

Edward McGinnis of the east part of the county visited the city yesterday.

Miss Ora Latham of Woodson was a shopper with Jacksonville merchants yesterday.

Scott Tranbarger, a substantial citizen of Franklin precinct was added to the list of city callers yesterday.

Carl West of the vicinity of Antioch made a trip to town in his Buick car yesterday.

Calvin Lawson of the east part of the county traveled to the city in his Buick car yesterday.

I. W. Cox of the southeast part of the county journeyed to town in his Chevrolet car yesterday.

S. T. Zachary of the east part of the county made a pilgrimage to town in his Buick car yesterday.

Marcus Hulet of the vicinity of Antioch was a traveler to the city in his Buick car yesterday.

J. C. Swain came down to the city from Sinclair yesterday on business in his Buick car.

William Zahn rode to the city from Concord yesterday in his Cadillac car.

Clay Roach of Franklin sought the city yesterday coming in his Chevrolet car.

T. J. Quinn of the western part of the county was a city arrival yesterday coming in his Buick car.

W. E. Bourn of the north part of the county was among the city arrivals yesterday.

William Combs of Midway was added to the list of city callers yesterday.

Miles Fitzpatrick of Buckhorn neighborhood was among the business callers in the city yesterday.

William Steele of the southeast part of the county was transacting business in the city yesterday.

R. E. Goodhated of Scottville was attending to his interests in the city yesterday.

A. L. Oetgen of Frederick was calling on some people of Jacksonville yesterday.

Walter Withom of Pisgah was among the business men of the city yesterday.

Amos Swain of the vicinity of Sinclair was looking after his interests in the city yesterday.

Thurlof Pratt made a trip from Chapin to the city in his Buick car yesterday.

William Clegg of Murrayville was looking after his interests in the city yesterday.

Dr. R. R. Jones of Woodson was among the arrivals in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Newton Peters of Merritt were added to the list of city shoppers yesterday.

Dan Gorman of Franklin precinct was a visitor with city people yesterday.

C. K. Ketner of Murrayville was added to the list of city callers yesterday.

J. J. Lukeman and Mr. and Mrs. Martha Feore were city arrivals from Franklin yesterday.

Mrs. Earl Sorrells of Woodson made a shopping trip to the city yesterday.

Joseph and Dade Mastin of the northerly direction visited the city yesterday.

William Sargent was a representative of Markham in the city yesterday.

Clifford James of the north part of the county called in the city yesterday.

A. C. Reed of Ebenezer neighborhood was a traveler to the city yesterday.

Charles Ehler of Lynnville was attending to affairs in the city yesterday.

Frank Green of Strawn's Crossing had business calling him to the city yesterday.

J. A. Moss of Jay Prairie was added to the list of city arrivals yesterday.

Fred Ranson of Lynnville was added to the list of city callers yesterday.

There will be a recital given on Thursday afternoon, February 7th in Recital Hall. The public is cordially invited.

William Roegge of Meredosa was a business visitor in the city Saturday.

C. E. Hamilton of Winchester paid the city a business visit yesterday.

B. M. Miner and Roy Miner of Tallula were Saturday business visitors in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Moore of Winchester came to the city yesterday for shopping purposes.

F. J. Harney of Henry, Ill., was a Saturday business visitor here.

J. G. Franken of Chandlerville paid the city a visit yesterday.

A. J. Hedges of Roodhouse was among the business callers in the city Saturday.

J. P. Barney of White Hall came to the city yesterday for the transaction of business.

F. W. Finn of Virginia was a Saturday business visitor in the city.

Clayton Stewart of Bluffs was a business visitor in the city Saturday.

J. A. Cox of Concord spent some time in the city yesterday.

C. S. Roach, George Bolton and Lee Bolton, all of Franklin, were visitors in the city Saturday.

C. R. Evans helped represent Alexander in the city Saturday.

Ed F. Seymour of Franklin visited the city yesterday on business.

Harvey Story of Murrayville was among business callers in the city Saturday.

Mrs. E. O. Hess of Manchester was a local shopper Saturday.

L. F. O'Donnell has returned from Chicago where he attended the great automobile show which he much enjoyed.

The millinery store room of L. C. & R. E. Henry is being adorned with paint and various other improvements which will add much to its looks.

Miss Martha Smith of the force of F. J. Waddell & Co. expected to enjoy today with her friends, Bertha Lukeman and family of the vicinity of Arnold.

George Gouveia of the vicinity of Shioh was among the travelers to the city yesterday. He says he has plenty of cold and snow in his part of the county and would be glad to see a change.

Mrs. Earl Gruber and little daughter Clara Ellen expect to leave Monday morning for a brief visit with her brother and wife Carl Taylor at Mason City, Iowa, he being a former resident of this city, and now an employee of the C. M. & St. P. Railway Co. Mrs. Gruber will be accompanied as far as Peoria by her sister-in-law Miss Stella Gruber and nieces en route to Morrison, Ill.

DEATHS

Nash.

The death of Mrs. Dennis Nash occurred Saturday morning at 7 o'clock at the family home one mile north of White Hall, following an illness of several months. Deceased was the mother of Mrs. Minnie Ludwig formerly connected with the Courier in this city. Mrs. Nash was sixty-six years of age at the time of her death and had spent her entire life in Greene county. She was the daughter of Joseph and Mary Ann S. McAdams, long time residents of Greene County. July 29, 1875, deceased was united in marriage to Dennis Nash, who, together with six children survives. The children are Mrs. Minnie Ludwig, residing at home; Lora, wife of Clyde Heberling of White Hall, Edward, of Roodhouse; William Curtis at home; Larry Otis, at Camp Taylor and Oliver, at home. Two sisters also survive, Mrs. Oscar Welder of Jacksonville and Mrs. Damon Platt of White Hall; five brothers, Joseph McAdams of Arkansas, Elem and Grant McAdams of Bluff Dale and Sloss McAdams, White Hall and Henry McAdams of Grafton and eleven grandchildren.

Funeral services will be conducted at 1 o'clock Monday afternoon from the home, Rev. Leo Howard, pastor of the M. E. church at White Hall, officiating. Interment will be in the White Hall cemetery.

Lankford.

Word has been received in Manchester of the death of Mrs. Rosanne Lankford which occurred recently at the home of her son, Moses Lankford at Olympia, Wash. Deceased was an aunt of Mrs. E. G. Todd of this city and was for many years a resident of Manchester. She was the widow of the late Martin Lankford, whose death occurred a year ago. Following the death of her husband, Mrs. Lankford went to the northwest for an extended stay with her sons and a short time ago was stricken with illness which later resulted in her death. She is survived by three sons, Moses Lankford of Olympia, Wash.; Charles Lankford of Tacoma, Wash., and George Lankford of Portland, Ore.

Funeral services will probably be held at the Baptist church Wednesday, in charge of Rev. Newton J. Antrobus. The remains are now on the way to Manchester, accompanied by the sons of the deceased.

McGinnis.

Mrs. M. B. Buckingham of 679 South West street yesterday received news of the death of her sister-in-law, Mrs. D. L. McGinnis of Bloomington, a former resident of this city. The deceased was the wife of Mrs. Buckingham's brother. Death came following a somewhat extended illness the result of a paralytic stroke. Many people here who remember Mrs. McGinnis will regret to know of her death. Besides her husband she leaves one daughter, Mrs. T. J. Vimont and two grandchildren, Charlotte and Ruth McGinnis.

CLUBS AND SOCIETY

The Helen Rawlings Chapter of the World Wide Guild will meet Monday evening, Feb. 4th, at the home of Miss Jennie Rabjohns, Westminster street. Miss Helen Shreve will be the leader.

The Mission Study circle of State Street Presbyterian church will meet Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock with Mrs. J. S. Hackett of West State street. The Missionary society meeting will be held with Mrs. Hackett the same afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

The Chaminade Musical Club will meet Monday afternoon with Miss Virginia B. Vasey, 726 West North street at 2:30 o'clock. A program from two modern French composers Chaminade and Debussy will be given.

The open meeting of the Monday Conversation Club has been postponed.

The Case Committee will meet on Monday afternoon at 3:30 in the Ayers Bank basement.

The Ministerial Association will hold the monthly meeting at the Y. M. C. A. reading rooms Monday at 10:30 A. M.

Mrs. Madden's Sunday School class of Grace Church will be entertained at the home of Mrs. Barber, 302 South Prairie street Tuesday evening. A good attendance is desired.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Congregational church will meet in the lecture room at 5 P. M. Wednesday.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of Grace Church will meet with Mrs. H. A. Perrin, 1655 West College avenue Tuesday afternoon, February 5th at 2:30.

The Reverend James Caldwell, Chapter G. A. R. will meet Tuesday with Miss Trabue to sew for the Red Cross.

The East Side Tuesday Club will meet Tuesday at 3 o'clock with Mrs. Edgar Martin at 283 Sandusky street.

The Young Woman's Foreign Missionary society of Centenary church will meet Monday evening with Mrs. George Fuhr, 229 East College avenue. Members please bring dues.

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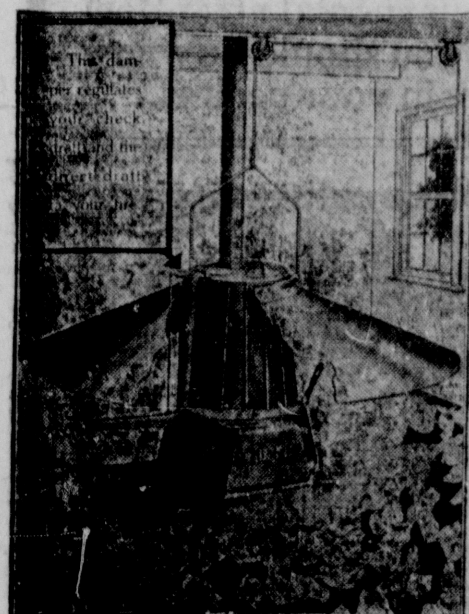
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FOOD PRODUCTION AND CONSERVATION MEETING

Governor Lowden, Federal Judge Landis, Chairman Insull and Others Will Address the Illinois Farmers' Institute at Bloomington, February 19, 20 and 21.

What promises to be the greatest and most important State-wide conference of Illinois food producers and consumers is that planned by the Illinois State Farmers' Institute for Bloomington, February 19, 20 and 21. The State Council of Defense is actively cooperating with the State Institute in the holding of this big war rally, and an urgent invitation is extended to the public to participate.

The importance and significance of this conference is indicated by the fact that delegates will be in attendance from every county in the State, and its influence will extend throughout the Middle West. The keynote

of the program is greater food production and conservation, and is the strongest ever presented by the State Institute. The needs of the Nation in its present crisis are recognized and the call for whole-hearted, selfless service and unstinted patriotism is the central idea of each session, around which are grouped the necessary and practical activities for every individual in helping him to do his best for Uncle Sam.

The Opening Session
The conference will convene on Tuesday morning, February 19, the opening session being addressed by Dr. Cyril G. Hopkins, head of the Agronomy Department, University of Illinois, and Prof. O. Erf, head of the Dairy Department, Ohio State University. Dr. Hopkins will speak on "Protecting the Greatest Base of Supplies," and Prof. Erf on "Dairying in Wartime."

In the afternoon a patriotic session will be held, at which time Governor Frank O. Lowden, Chairman Insull of the State Council of Defense, and Senator Magill, Director of the Illinois Centennial Commission, will address the conference. In the evening the meeting will be addressed by Mr. Joseph P. Cotton, head of the Meat Division, United States Food Administration, the man responsible for setting the price on hogs, and who directs the Government's policy on meat supplies and prices.

The second day of the conference will be devoted to discussions on emergency farm labor and transportation problems, from the standpoint of both producer and consumer. The United States Boys' Working Reserve will be represented by the Federal director for Illinois Mr. Burridge D. Butler. Director Adkins of the State Department of Agriculture will speak on "The Retired Farmer as a Source of Emergency Farm Labor." "Better Highways a Military Necessity," will be discussed by Mr. S. E. Bradt, State Superintendent of Highways, and Mr. C. H. Markham, president of the Illinois Central railroad, will

speak on "Rail Transportation and the Farmer."

Hon. Kenesaw Mountain Landis, Judge of the United States District Court, will be the principal speaker at the evening session of the conference, February 20. A military speaker, a French or English officer who has served in the trenches, will also address this session.

On Thursday, the morning session will be devoted to increased supplies of pork and mutton. Prof. John E. Evard, head of the Swine Department, Iowa State College, and one of the best informed men in the country, will speak on "Increasing Pork Production," and Prof. W. C. Coffey, University of Illinois, will tell "How More Sheep Will Help." This session will be a very important one, as it deals with the practical question of ways and means of meeting the demands for greater meat supplies.

"Agriculture During the War" will be discussed by Dean E. Davenport, University of Illinois, at the afternoon session on Thursday, February 21. No man has better knowledge of agricultural conditions, nor a keener insight into the future than Dean Davenport. No one can afford to miss hearing him.

Household Science Sessions
The Household Science Department of the institute will hold its sessions daily, taking up subjects of food conservation, wheat, meat and fat substitutes, home grown sweets, gardening, war-time marketing, and other line of war work for women at home and abroad.

Among the prominent women speakers are Miss Julia Lathrop, Chief of the Child Welfare Bureau, United States Department of Labor, who will speak at the joint session on Tuesday evening; Mrs. Maude Radford Warren, author and magazine writer on furlough from France; Miss Harriett Vittum, Head Resident, Northwestern University Settlement; Miss Isabel Bevier, head of the Household Science Department, University of Illinois; Mrs. J. C. Hessler, president of the Household Science Department, Illinois Farmers' Institute; Mrs. H. M. Dunlap, Food Production Division, State Council of Defense.

War food exhibits and demonstrations will form an interesting and instructive part of this three-day home-makers' conference. Representatives and delegates from the household science departments of the county institutes and from several hundred women's clubs of the State which are affiliated with the State Institute will be in attendance at these meetings. There will be something of value for every woman at each session, and none who can possibly attend can afford to miss them. It is every woman's meeting.

Boys' and Girls' Program
This great conference is not alone for men and women, but for boys and girls also. On Tuesday, February 19, there will be a boys' and girls' demonstration program. This will be given in addition to the sessions of the institute and Household Science Department, and in a separate assembly hall. Demonstration teams from Randolph, Champaign, LaSalle, Jackson, Bureau and McLean Counties, each consisting of three or four club members, will conduct a series of demonstrations on the subjects of corn, bread, garden, poultry, potatoes, dairying and garment making. These demonstrations will show exactly what the boys' and girls' clubs in these various counties are accomplishing in club work. The team members will wear their official caps, aprons and insignia, and their demonstrations will provide a strong feature of the conference.

Crop Protection Exhibit
Another important feature will be a crop protection demonstration, by Dr. Stephen A. Forbes, State Entomologist, which will illustrate elaborately the practical methods of chinch-bug and Hessian fly control. This exhibit will be of a far-reaching value to producers from all sections of the state, and worth real money to every farmer who sees it, as it will help in curtailing avoidable crop losses, which will this year mean so much both to the producers and the country.

Its Everybody's Meeting
Detailed program covering the entire three-day conference will soon be issued, and can be had by addressing the Illinois Farmers' Institute at Springfield. Everyone who possibly can, should attend this great meeting. Bloomington is easily accessible from all parts of the State, and each day, February 19, 20 and 21, will offer something of value to all who attend. Be on time the opening day and stay through to the end. You will be sorry if you don't. You can best help Uncle Sam and yourself by attending this patriotic war rally. It will offer useful information, practical instruction, and helpful inspiration needed by everybody in giving their best service to State and Nation. It's everybody's meeting. Plan now to attend—and bring your neighbors with you.

SATISFIED WITH PROGRESS

Madrid, Friday, Feb. 1.—Marquis De Alarcos, the Spanish premier, today said he was well satisfied with the progress of the negotiations between Spain and the United States. The representatives of the two governments have been discussing commercial arrangements between the two countries.

The premier praised the American representatives who left Madrid today for Paris.

LOWDEN APPOINTS SUPERINTENDENT

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 2.—William R. McCauley of Olney was appointed superintendent of standards in the department of trade and commerce by Governor Lowden today. The position carries a salary of \$2,500 a year.

The superintendent of standards will be charged with the duty of enforcing the state statute regulating weights and measures.

WOUNDED AT THE FRONT
Ottawa, Ont., Feb. 2.—W. R. Mackenzie of Freeport, Ill., is listed as wounded in today's casualty list.

DANIELS ADDRESSES GRADUATING CLASS

300 Reserve Officers Receive Commissions at Naval Academy—Wonderful Record Made by Navy.

Annapolis, Md., Feb. 1.—The U. S. Naval Reserve force, now embracing 63,666 men and 7,800 officers is larger than the regular navy when war was declared and three times as large as in the Spanish-American war. Secretary Daniels declared today in addressing the special graduation class of 300 reserve officers at the Naval Academy.

"This is a wonderful record for a service authorized eighteen months ago," the secretary continued, "and his creation has made possible many phases of the diversified work the navy has been called upon to do."

The ideal of the navy in war, the secretary said, was contained in Benjamin Franklin's order to the navy's first captain, John Paul Jones, to show at all times a "tender regard for non-combatants."

"If you wish to find the difference in America's method of warfare and Germany's it is embodied in Franklin's instructions to Jones," he added. "For the American regards war as a tragedy."

Much of the secretary's address was taken up with a recital of the brilliant achievements of the American destroyer flotilla in the war and the bravery of American gun crews aboard merchantmen.

HAZEL DELL

James Sherry expects to make a sale the seventh of Feb. Mr. Sherry does not expect to farm so extensively in the future and is selling of his surplus stock.

Mrs. J. N. Taylor, Mrs. Archie Taylor and children, Mrs. Clyde Taylor and Mr. and Mrs. John Drake spent Friday at the home of D. H. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Smith took dinner with T. H. Stores Thursday. Henry Owens was a Bluffs visitor Tuesday.

Miss Hazel Bonds is visiting at the home of Mrs. Hallie Rigor, near Merritt.

Miss Grey who teaches the Bethel school visited with Clarence Smith Sunday.

Florence Smith and mother attended a luncheon given by Margaret Eagen in Chapin Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. J. N. Taylor was a Bluffs visitor Saturday.

D. H. Smith has purchased the old homestead belonging to his father, the late S. S. Smith.

Miss Jennie Guimanne left for Chicago Monday night to attend the funeral of her brother, Martin who died Saturday of pneumonia. Martin spent his boyhood in the country, but had been engaged at the live stock yards in Chicago for a number of years.

PUGH STORES BANKRUPT

Chicago, Feb. 1.—The Pugh stores company was declared bankrupt today. James Pugh, known to yachtmen as an enthusiastic pilot and owner of highpower motorboats, made progress in establishing a few chain stores, but the company has been having trouble with creditors for a year. The recent blizzard brought matters to a climax. No statement of assets or liabilities was made.

FURTHER ORDERS ISSUED

Chicago, Feb. 2.—Three thousand coal dealers of Cook county have received orders from the fuel administration, it was announced today to discontinue delivery of coal to saloons, breweries, motion picture theatres, theatres or other places of amusement or to industries until current requirements of householders, hospitals, charitable institutions and the schools are met.

BARGAIN SALE HELD AT CHICAGO POSTOFFICE

Chicago, Feb. 2.—Twelve thousand dollars' worth of unclaimed and unaddressed mail packages were sold for \$3,000 at the annual bargain sale of the government yesterday. The figures were given out today by Assistant Superintendent of Mails W. R. Anderson, and who said that the articles disposed of included almost everything from collar buttons to diamonds.

MIDDLETON TO K. C.

Kansas City, Mo., Feb. 2.—John Ganzel, manager of the Kansas City team of the American association announced tonight the purchase of James Middleton, a pitcher, from the New York Nationals, who bought him from Louisville in 1916.

SEVERAL STRIKE LEADERS HAVE BEEN ARRESTED

Amsterdam, Feb. 2.—A Munich dispatch to the Frankfurter Zeitung says that several strike leaders have been arrested there including the writer, Kurt Eisner and Frau Sarah Lerch. The troops prevented a demonstration. The general situation is little changed.

PUBLIC SALE

At my home in Woodson Tuesday, Feb. 5 at 1 o'clock, a sale consisting of mules, horses, farm implements, grain and numerous other articles. Mrs. G. A. Megginson.

REACH SAME VERDICT

Chicago, Feb. 2.—The second trial of Lloyd Bopp for the murder of Policeman Herman Malow today resulted the same as the first—in a verdict of guilty and death by hanging. The supreme court allowed Bopp a second trial on the grounds that he was not allowed enough time to prepare his defense in the first case.

MONEY RECOVERED

Chicago, Feb. 2.—Five men and two women were arrested tonight and \$1,800 taken yesterday by bandits who held up two special agents of the Illinois Central railroad and murdered one of them, was recovered.

EXCEEDS QUOTA

Galveston, Texas, Feb. 2.—Galveston county is the first county in the United States to over-subscribe its monthly quota of war savings stamps according to a letter received today by George Sealey, Galveston county director of war savings, from Louis Lipsitz, of Dallas, state director of the war savings committee. E. R. Cheesbrough, postmaster announced that \$124,121 worth of war saving stamps were sold in the county during January. The county's monthly quota is \$74,573.

FORMER BANKER SHOT

Granite City, Ill., Feb. 2.—K. A. Mitsareff, a former banker in the foreign colony was shot and dangerously wounded today by Ralph A. Morriss, a realty dealer. Morriss said Mitsareff had come to his office with a gun to discuss affairs and that he shot himself when the latter threatened to kill him. Mitsareff lost his money in the 1907 panic, and blaming his brother-in-law for his reverses, killed him. He was sentenced to 14 years imprisonment but was paroled five years ago. He has accused Morriss of being responsible for his troubles.

FOR SALE SEED CORN.

Pride of the Nishna Valley. For particulars call or write Ed Duven-dack, Meredosia, Ill., Route 1.

PARIS ANNOUNCEMENT

Feb. 2.—The war office announcement reads:

"There was quite marked artillery activity in the sector Craonne on both banks of the Meuse and in the Woivre in the region of Flirey. On the front of Carrières wood we repulsed an enemy detachment which attempted to reach our lines. Calm prevailed everywhere else.

"Eastern theater Feb. 1.—Reciprocal artillery actions occurred west of Dolran, in the region of the Vardar and north of Monastir. On the right bank of the Cerna near Gradische, Serbian troops carried out on a successful raid on the Bulgarian trenches."

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FROM HAIG HEADQUARTERS

London, Feb. 2.—The report from Field Marshall Haig's headquarters in France today says:

"Westriding troops carried out a successful daylight raid this morning north of Moncel-Pruex and captured a few prisoners. The enemy raided one of our posts northeast of Poelcapelle early this morning; two of our men are missing.

"Another hostile raiding party attacked a post in the neighborhood of the Ypres-Staden railway but was driven off.

"The hostile artillery was slightly more active southwest of Ephe in the neighborhood of Gavrelle and in the Ypres sector."

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WITHDRAW ALL PERMITS.

Amsterdam, Feb. 2.—All permits for the departure of steamers from Dutch ports have been withdrawn by the Netherlands government, new ones will not be issued, according to the Telegraaf. The action of the government, presumably says the newspaper is due to the fear that Dutch ships going to the United States will be held up until negotiations between Germany and Holland have been concluded.

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FIRE AT CAMP DODGE

Camp Dodge, Ia., Feb. 2.—Explosion of a gasoline torch, it was said today caused the fire that partly destroyed the automobile repair shop of the camp quartermaster, entailing a loss of \$30,000 and endangering the lives of several soldiers late yesterday.

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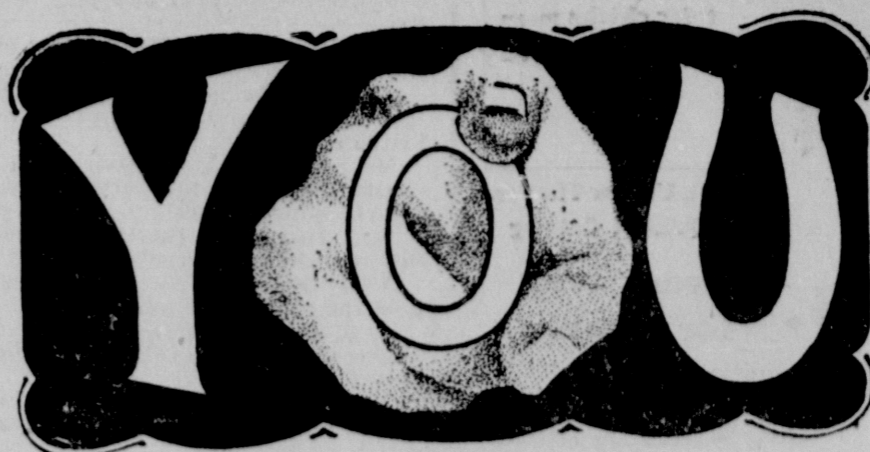
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MUST CONSIDER SEED CORN SITUATION

State Administration Has Comprehensive Organization at Work—Indifference of Some Farmers a Menace—Shortage Runs to Big Figures.

It is doubtful if Morgan county farmers really understand the acuteness of the seed corn situation in Illinois. F. E. Drury, chairman of the food and fuel conservation committee in this county, acting in conjunction with the state council of defense, stated yesterday that the discussion at the war conference in Urbana made the situation very plain.

W. G. Eckhardt, who is the head of the state corn administration was present at the conference. The great difficulty about the situation is the apathy of many farmers themselves and their inability to make the tests which will show with accuracy whether or not they have seed corn sufficient for their needs. It will be the duty of the state seed administration therefore, to effect an intensive organization to impress upon all farmers the great necessity of immediately making arrangements for seed corn in sufficient quantity to provide for replanting if the season should so require.

Big Shortage is Actual. Careful investigations have been made all thru the west and for that reason the administration is able to give the definite information that



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NEW FOOD STUFF RULES ARE NOW EFFECTIVE

Question of Saving Wheat for Use of Allies is Up to the American People.

The following is a summary of the rules that have been formulated by the United States Food Administration, with the approval of the President in order to effect the further conservation in foodstuffs necessary to support the Allies and our own armed forces over the next four months. These rules are effective from the morning of Monday, January 28.

The effectiveness of these rules is dependent solely upon the good will of, and the willingness to sacrifice by the American people. In the last analysis the success or failure of any plan such as that here outlined rests with the people.

We are dependent upon the cooperation of the trades. We have but one police force, the American woman, and we depend upon her to organize in cooperation with our State and Local Food Administrators to see that these rules are obeyed by that small minority who may fail. Part of the rules will be enforced under the Lever Food Act; other parts are voluntary and will depend for their success upon public sentiment. Our experience hitherto has shown a willingness of the vast majority of consumers and a full cooperation of the trades, to undergo the self sacrifice necessary to render such measures effective. The small minority who refuse to cooperate should not be allowed to defeat the nation's necessities.

1. As their part in reducing the consumption of wheat flour, the consumers of the country are called upon, in purchasing such flour to buy at the same time an equal weight of the other cereals, corn meal, corn starch, corn flour, hominy, corn grits, barley flour, rice, rice flour, oat meal, rolled oats, buckwheat flour, potato flour, sweet potato flour, soy bean flour and feterita flours and meals. The housewife may use these products separately in making bread, cakes and pastry, or mix them as she thinks best. The retailers are to sell wheat flour only with an equal weight of these other cereals.

Must Mix Cereals With Flour.

2. Consumers will be able to obtain mixed cereal bread from their bakers, who will be required under the License Regulations to mix five per cent of other cereals with their wheat flour, both in bread and rolls and will be required gradually to increase this substitution. Until beginning February 24, a minimum of 20 per cent of such cereals is to be used. The Food Administration strongly urges on consumers the buying of this bread which will be known as "Victory" bread and will contain not less than 20 per cent of cereals other than wheat; Graham or whole wheat bread will also be given that name, because containing as they do, 25 per cent more of the wheat grain than ordinary white bread, they too will serve the purpose of saving wheat flour. If you bake bread at home use wheat substitutes; if you buy it, buy only Victory bread.

3. Manufacturers of macaroni, spaghetti, noodles, crackers, biscuits, fast food, pie, cake and pastry are not to purchase to exceed 70 per cent of the wheat flour they used during the corresponding months of 1917. These manufacturers will be performing a patriotic service by using cereals other than wheat in their productions.

Rules for Wholesalers.

4. Wholesalers will be required, under license regulations, not to buy more than 70 per cent of their purchases of flour from millers, as based on their purchases for the corresponding months of the preceding year, and their sales to the retail trade must be in the proportion of one pound of wheat flour to one pound of other cereals; this being the same proportion in which the retailer sells to the consumer unless the wholesaler satisfies himself that the substitutes have been already purchased from another source. A ruling has been made that in making any combination sales under this program, dealers shall name a price for each of the articles so sold which shall not represent more than a normal pre-war profit on any one of the articles sold.

5. Millers of flour are to distribute their output thru their customary channels and markets in such a manner that each city, town and district may receive its usual proportion. The wheat millers have been required to produce one barrel of flour 196 pounds from 264 pounds of wheat. This is a white flour and represents from 2 per cent to 4 per cent higher extraction than from last year's harvest.

6. To assist further in conservation, Monday and Wednesday of each week are to be observed as Wheatless days, and one meal of each day as a Wheatless meal. This applies both in the home and in the public eating place, and on such days and meals no crackers, pastries, macaroni, breakfast foods, or other cereals containing wheat should be used. The only exception to this is such small amounts of flour as may be needed for thickening soups or gravies or as a binder in corn bread or other cereal breads.

Victory Bread to be Used.

7. On Wheatless days and on Wheatless meals, the Food Administration urges that bread baked in the home be other than wheat bread. Where bread is purchased either for use in public eating places or in the home, Victory bread should be used. If no wheat substitutes can be found, the Federal Food Administrator in each State will announce the meal to be observed as Wheatless meal in his State. If no meal is designated, the United States Food Administration prefers that the evening meal be Wheatless.

8. It is further desired, in order that meat and pork products be conserved, that one Meatless day Tuesday in every week, and one Meatless meal in every day be observed.

served, and in addition, two porkless days Tuesdays and Saturdays in every week be strictly kept. By meatless is meant without hog, cattle or sheep products. On other days use mutton and lamb in preference to beef or pork. By porkless is meant without pork, bacon, ham, lard or pork products, fresh or preserved. Use fish, poultry and eggs.

9. For local situations, where exceptions are necessary, application should be made to the State Food Administrators.

U. S. Food Administration.

WATER SAVING
must be kept up to a still greater extent. We must accumulate some reserve for fire fighting.

JOSHUA VASCONCELLOS,
Commissioner

ILLINOIS COLLEGE NOTES

Instruction for the second semester will begin on Monday. The registration days for the second semester were on Friday and Saturday. A number of the older students have been obliged to drop out for one reason and another, several new students have registered for the second semester. Among the latter may be mentioned Ruth Hillier, who is transferring to Illinois College from Emporia College. Clarence Spaulding has returned to College for the second semester.

A telegram has been received from Mr. Higley stating that he would arrive in time to address the students at the Chapel exercises Monday morning. Attention has already been called to the religious exercises, which are to be held daily on the campus, in the mornings at 9:50, and in the evenings at 7 o'clock. Mr. Higley is well known as one of the most forceful speakers who has ever appeared on the Chapel platform. Friends of the College will be very welcome at the meetings.

Illinois College is among the beneficiaries included in the will of the late Miss Emma Capps of North Church street.

The girls of Sigma Phi Epsilon entertained at the home of Professor and Mrs. Ames Friday evening. George W. Wall of DuQuoin, Ill., has established a Memorial membership in the alumna fund in memory of his son, Willard C. Wall, of the class of 1886.

PUBLIC SALE
Three miles northwest of Merritt, 3 1/2 miles southwest of Chapin, on Thursday, February 7th, consisting of horses, mules, cattle, hogs, sheep and implements. John Sherry.

UNION SERVICES

The Union Sunday evening services of the West Side churches will be held at 7:30 p. m. at Grace church and Rev. M. L. Pontius will deliver the sermon. Special music and a cordial welcome for everybody.

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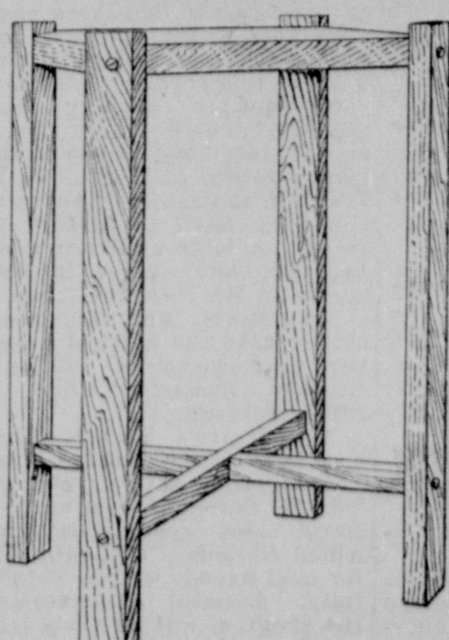
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FLOYD SOOY WRITES FROM SOUTHERN CAMP

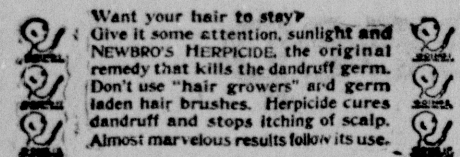
Former Morgan County Lad Tells of Su'roundings—Finds Training Work Beneficial.

The following letter was received by Mrs. E. J. Sooy 423 South East street, from her oldest son Floyd O. Sooy of Kansas City, Mo., who enlisted at Jefferson Barracks, the first of December and is now located at Camp Johnston, in Jacksonville, Florida.

Camp Johnston, Jan. 29, 1918.

Dear Mother:

Your letter came Saturday, but I was so busy going to church Sunday that I didn't get it answered, and yesterday I was busy all day. I



Want your hair to stay? Give it some attention, sunlight and Newcomb's Hairdressing the original remedy that kills the dandruff germ. Don't use "hair growers" and germ laden hair brushes. Herpicide cures dandruff and stops itching of scalp. Almost marvelous results follow its use.

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If Cross, Feverish, Sick, Bilious, Give Fruit Laxative At Once

Every mother realizes, after giving her children "California Syrup of Figs" that this is their ideal laxative, because they love its pleasant taste, and it thoroughly cleanses the tender little stomach, liver and bowels without griping.

When cross, irritable, feverish or breath is bad, stomach sour, look at the tongue, mother! If coated, give a teaspoonful of this harmless "fruit laxative" and in a few hours all the foul, constipated food passes out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again. When its little system is full of cold, throat sore, stomach-ache, diarrhoea, indigestion, colic—remember a good "inside cleansing" should always be the first treatment given.

Millions of mothers keep "California Syrup of Figs" handy; they know a teaspoonful today saves a sick child tomorrow. Ask your druggist for a bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has directions for babies, children of all ages and grown-ups printed on the bottle. Beware of counterfeiters sold here, so don't be fooled. Get the genuine, made by "California Fig Syrup Company."—Adv.

A Mother's Love



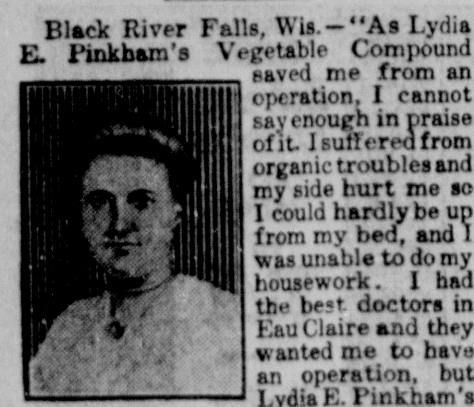
Through all the ages, a mother's love has been the most beautiful sentiment ever expressed. It is the most pathetic, the most joyful and the most wonderful feeling mortals have ever felt. The mother who does not want her child to be perfect is yet unborn. The strongest characteristic of womanhood is a mother's love and pride for her baby.

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"Mother's Friend" is to be had at your drug store. Write the Bradford Regulator Co., Dept. 22, 300 Lamar Building, Atlanta, Ga. They will send you a most valuable and interesting book, without charge, "Motherhood and the Baby." "Mother's Friend" makes it possible for you to aid nature yourself in the wonderful work to be done and no woman should go a single night without using it.

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Vegetable Compound cured me so I did not need the operation, and I am telling all my friends about it."—Mrs. A. W. BUNZER, Black River Falls, Wis.

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thought of you folks often when I read of severe cold weather and the shortage of fuel up north. It got cold once or twice here, and has snowed once since I came down. The people here say it was the first snow in twenty years. I think winter is broken now, however, as the past week has been quite warm, and Sunday the thermometer registered 83 degrees in Jacksonville.

This is quite a large camp, but isn't complete yet. It is located about ten miles from Jacksonville, on the St. John's River. It is a training camp principally for quartermasters but there are some men who are in other branches of the service in training here too. The camp was named for Jos. E. Johnston, a big quartermaster man. There isn't any soil here, but plenty of fine white sand. It looks very odd not to see any green grass growing. The trees here are mostly pines and they grow up very near straight and tall. I haven't seen any orange trees as yet. We pay five cents each for oranges at the camp canteen.

We are only about fifteen miles from the Atlantic, and I intend to take a trip to the coast the first chance I have.

We had a very nice trip from St. Louis down here. Saw a great deal of country, but none that looked better than Ill. or Missouri. We arrived here just a few days before Xmas. There were 375 of us on the train and all had sleepers. Were on the train 48 hours. Roy Hill, the boy whom I roomed with in Kansas City, enlisted the same time I did, and we went thru the examination at Jefferson Barracks together and stayed until after coming down here when he was put into another company. I saw some Jacksonville boys at Jefferson Barracks, Guy Kimball, Harry Anderson and a Cox boy.

I'm glad I enlisted just when I did, instead of waiting a week or so longer, for we were just ahead of the big rush and a very severe spell of weather. Some of the fellows had to wait a week or more before getting uniforms, but I received mine just four days after arriving here. It was a birthday present for me.

I haven't been assigned to army regular work yet; was in a receiving company until last week, then was transferred last Thursday to a permanent company, but am not sure. The place is so crowded that they are using the buildings intended for school rooms, for sleeping quarters. I hope you can all keep well, and I don't want anyone to be uneasy about me, for I'm getting plenty of good food, and plenty of sleep. I haven't missed a meal yet. Will write you again soon.

Floyd.

Private F. O. Sooy, (Clerical Co., No. 1, Camp Johnston, Jacksonville, Florida.

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JOSHUA VASCONCELLOS, Commissioner

REBEKAHS GAVE FIRST ANNUAL BALL

Was Attended by Residents From Many Adjacent Towns—Mrs. Harry Oakes Gave Silver Tea for Red Cross.

Bluffs, Feb. 1.—The first annual ball given by the Rebekah lodge Wednesday night was a decided success and the following places were represented: Jacksonville, Winchester, Chapin, Pittsfield, Meredosia, Exeter and Oxtville. All reported a good time.

William Hartnady has purchased the property known as the Commercial hotel and livery barn recently vacated by Arch Taylor. He will remove his family there at once and later will have the dwelling remodelled. Arch Taylor and family have moved to the Taylor farm east of town.

Mrs. Frank Bentz, who has been at the hospital in Jacksonville for the past two weeks has returned much improved in health.

Otto Weiss has returned from the hospital in Jacksonville where he underwent a successful operation for appendicitis.

Mrs. Harry Oakes gave a "silver tea" at her home Friday afternoon for the benefit of the Red Cross.

Mrs. John Adkins has been confined to her home since Friday of last week from an attack of the grippe.

Miss Bessie Thompson resigned her position at the Times office and left Friday morning for a visit "somewhere." Rumor says she has gone to Camp Taylor where she will be united in marriage to Maurice O'Brien, her friend and former school-mate who is in training there and who expects to leave soon for France.

ASBURY CHURCH.

There will be services at Asbury church Sunday 2:45 p. m. The weather permitting preaching by the pastor, W. W. Theobald.

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Berkeley, Cal.—"I was nervous, irritable, no appetite, could not sleep and was always tired, so my housework was a great effort. After many other medicines had failed Vinoli built me up and made me strong. I have a good appetite and sleep well. Every nervous, weak, ailing woman should try it."—Mrs. N. Edmunds, 2107 Dwight Way, Berkeley, Cal.

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CONSERVATORY NOTES

The rehearsal of the Illinois College Chorus, Monday evening, February 4th, will be under the direction of Miss Kates.

Mr. Munser returned Friday noon from a visit to his home in Xenia, Ohio, where he was called last week by the illness of his father, whose condition has greatly improved.

The illness of Mr. Paul Beebe, who has been suffering from ague for some weeks, has necessitated the postponement of the ensemble recital, planned for an early February date.

The song, "Unforgotten," composed by Mr. Fred Meyers, was well received by audiences and critics when sung by Mrs. Helen Brown Read at her Chicago recital on January 27th.

WOMAN'S COLLEGE NOTES

Miss Annie M. Hinrichsen has recently been appointed Secretary of the State Welfare Commission. Miss Hinrichsen has been doing some very good work for the State and this is quite a fitting recognition of her superior ability.

The Semester Examinations closed Saturday afternoon at 4:15. Registration for the Second Semester has been going on steadily with good prospects for all of the Departments. Work actually begins Tuesday, February 5, at 8:00 a. m.

Miss Irene Merrill is now Principal of the High School at Britt, Iowa. Miss Helen Dinsmore is teaching in the High school at Nebo, and Miss Irene Irwin has just been appointed to the High school position in Roodhouse made vacant by the resignation of Miss Lucile Rexroat.

Thursday evening a cooperative auction was held in the old gymnasium. It was the source of much amusement and good time.

Miss Louise Sherman of Denver, Colorado, has recently entered the College. Miss Agnes Rebecca Miller of Nokomis will enter for the Second Semester, while several other new students are expected.

Miss Olive Dunn, ex'19, is now employed as a draftswoman in the Engineering Department of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railroad. Miss Dunn is the first woman to be employed in the engineering department of this corporation. She studied under Miss Knopf while at the College, carrying Design and several art lessons a week in addition to the regular college course.

President Harker has received letters from Dr. Jesse S. Dancy, who is with the American forces in France, telling of the delight and the happiness which the Christmas Boxes forwarded by students and teachers of the College caused among the men in the hospital where they were distributed.

Special attention should be called to the several courses in the Department of Home Economics, which are being offered for the Second Semester among them being the House Hold Management course, an item about which much has already appeared in the public press.

Miss Knopf received word this week that two of her pictures "The Shadowed Cove" and "September Morning on the Beach" has been accepted for the 113th Annual Exhibition of oil paintings by American Artists to be held in the Pennsylvania Academy of the Fine Arts, Philadelphia, February 3rd to March 24th inclusive. This is one of the most important exhibitions held in America during the year; the jury was composed of some of the most distinguished American painters and it is decidedly an honor for Miss Knopf to be represented in this exhibition.

COLLEGE OF MUSIC NOTES

The following program was presented by the children in the children's department in the College of Music, Thursday afternoon, January 31.

- Melodie Kohler
- Dorothy Casey.
- Child's Good-Night Song Spaulding
- Irene Keehner.
- Two Melodies Parsons
- Harold Barbre.
- Scotch Air Edward Landis.
- Old Oaken Bucket Rickaby
- Bernita Hutches.
- The Chase Ehmant
- An Old German Song Frances Kaule.
- A Little Melodie DeBeriot
- Marjorie Franz.
- Little Weaver Adams
- Mary McGinnis.
- Chase of the Butterflies Dennee
- Sara Lee Rule.
- In the Troika Teller
- Irene Hamm.
- Prelude in C minor Chopin
- Harold Munson.

Willard Baptiste, who is a pupil of Miss Lazelle, has been chosen as a member of the Y. M. C. A. quartette, which is doing considerable work in this portion of the State.

On Monday evening last, Mr. Stearns lectured before the faculty and student body of the Drake University School of Music, Des Moines, Iowa, on the subject "American Music—How Shall it Achieve its Future." A large audience was in attendance and great interest was shown in Mr. Stearns' lecture.

Miss Moore, Miss Lazelle and Mr. Jessen gave the musical program at the Commencement Exercises of Brown's Business College, Friday night, February 1st.

Mr. Stearns' Vesper Organ Recital will occur Sunday afternoon, February 10, at four o'clock. This will be the first of a series of recitals based upon music from the Allied Nations. The nations chosen for next Sunday will be Belgium and Italy. Detailed announcement of the program will be made later.

Miss Lazelle has been invited by the Clement Music School of San Francisco, California, to come there as guest teacher for the summer season. Miss Lazelle has the matter under consideration.

NOTICE.

I have received notice that I may be called into service within 24 hours, notice and would appreciate it if those persons indebted to me would kindly make settlement.

Dr. Schott, Alexander, Ill.

SUNDAY SCHOOLS WILL AID IN THRIFT CAMPAIGN

Carl H. Weber, County Chairman, Working in Conjunction with C. L. DePew, State Field Representative, Appoints Precinct Chairmen—County Precinct Presidents are Named.

Working in conjunction with Clarence L. DePew, state field representative of the Illinois Sunday School association, Carl H. Weber, county chairman of the Thrift Stamp committee, has taken steps to enlist the Sunday school workers of the county in the Thrift Stamp Campaign.

Acting after a thorough going over the matter with Mr. DePew, Chairman Weber has appointed the various precinct presidents of the Morgan County Sunday School association to have charge of the Thrift Stamp campaign among the Sunday schools. The following have been appointed:

- Alexander—Rev. T. G. Shaw.
- Chapin—Miss Carrie Johnson.
- Concord—Melvin O. Smith.
- Franklin—M. B. Keplinger.
- Literberry—Harry Ogle.
- Lynnville—Frank Masters.
- Meredosia—George W. Looman.
- Murrysville—William Wiswell.
- Sinclair—Clyde Martin.
- Waverly—Nellie H. Crian.
- West Jacksonville—Charles Patterson.

Jacksonville—Charles L. Mathis. The following letter has been sent out by Mr. DePew soliciting the earnest support of the Sunday school workers of the county in the Thrift Stamp campaign:

Jacksonville, Ill., Feb. 1, 1918.

My dear County Worker: You have heard a lot the past few days about the great Sunday school drive in Illinois for \$12,000.00 and that our Morgan county folks are out after \$500.00, a good portion of which is already raised. Jackson, McHenry and Will counties have all reached or surpassed their apportionments. This has been done in spite of the blizzards and continued cold. Much use has been made of the telephone, and if you have not finished your list, suppose you try telephoning a while.

The reason we ask these funds is to help the campaigns for many recognized war agencies, the first one being the "War Savings Stamps." I have been asked to help as the Sunday school representative in Morgan county, and am appointing you as the precinct manager.

1. We want to show that the Sunday School association is a live, vigorous, efficient organization, one that can really deliver the goods. I am confident you want it so, and will do your best to make it so.

2. We want the Sunday schools of Morgan county to all help win the war. It costs money, we have it, we must pay it, we will pay it—that is if this committee, and all others do their part. We will do ours.

3. Please get in touch with every superintendent in your precinct, and have him appoint a "War Savings Society" in his school—have one in every school of your precinct.

4. This society must get busy at once—not a minute to lose. Governor Lowden has appointed next week (Feb. 3-9) Thrift Week. It's up to immediate action on your part—use the telephone—get the superintendent, or some one in every school, be sure that the society is appointed next Sunday, Feb. 3. Every minute must be used if Morgan county gets in on this work of raising funds for the war and training our boys and girls in the saving habit.

5. We absolutely count on you for this. Midnight oil may be necessary—it has been burned to get this letter to you—it was burned to get the information to me, and the folks who have been links in the chain thus far are overwhelmed with the heavy burdens of the hour, but they realize the tremendousness of the task before our country, and are doing their part.

6. Theoretically the Sunday School association, of which you are a part, have the most workable organization of any in Illinois. Let us prove now that it is practically so. If every Morgan County Sunday School association officer does his or her best the next few days, our portion will be fully done. The enclosed leaflets give necessary information.

Counting on you, I am Most cordially yours, Clarence L. DePew.

John Martin was down to the city from Literberry yesterday.

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Please, for your sake, get a large fifty-cent case of Pape's Diapiesin from any drug store and put your stomach right. Don't keep on being miserable—life is too short—you are not here long, so make your stay agreeable. Eat what you like and enjoy it, without dread of acid fermentation in the stomach.

Pape's Diapiesin belong in your home anyway. Should one of the family eat something which don't agree with them, or in case of an attack of indigestion, dyspepsia, gastritis or stomach derangement due to fermentation and acidity, at daytime or during the night, it is handy to give the quickest, surest relief known.—Adv.



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ASHLAND W. F. M. F. TO MEET THURSDAY

Mrs. George Bergler to be Hostess and Miss Frances Lockwood Leader—Boy Sprains Ankle at Play—Other Ashland News Notes.

Ashland, Feb. 2.—The Woman's Foreign Missionary society will be held next Thursday afternoon, Feb. 7th, at the home of Mrs. George Bergen. Miss Francis Lockwood will be the leader. The following program will be rendered:

Intercession—Lena Wyatt.
The Over-Hanging Crescent—Mrs. Bettie Way.

Only a Woman—Mrs. Lon Hubbs.
Woman's Many Bonds—Mrs. Martha Wallbaum.

Her One Hilarious Diversion—Mrs. Martha Wallbaum.

Little Daughters of Islam—Mrs. D. O. Hill.

The Truth and the Grasp—Mrs. Annie Pearn.

The Story of Dah'byia—Mrs. Annie Pearn.

Mystery box—Mrs. Anderson and Mrs. Williams.

Music—Bernice Blank.

Misses Leta Wait and Lula Brumbeck have returned from a week's visit with relatives in Woodson.

Mrs. William Newell spent the week end in Bloomington.

Mrs. S. Y. Watts and mother Mrs. Angelo visited the latter's sister Mrs. Lottie Aldridge, who is very ill at Our Savior's hospital in Jacksonville.

F. C. Wallbaum and son Clarke departed Thursday for Indianapolis, Ind., where they will leave their automobile in the factory to have it over-hauled.

Henry McKown of Griggsville visited relatives here this week.

Mrs. Hugo Munzer has returned to her home in Chicago.

Miss Barbara Henn is visiting friends in Springfield this week.

J. Edward Artz, Jr., fell on the playground at school and sprained his ankle and will have to go on crutches for awhile.

William Remerschied departed for Davenport, Iowa, Thursday morning to attend the funeral of his sister-in-law and to visit his brother who is seriously ill in the hospital.

August Walters has moved from Crow's Point to the George Flinn farm, near Berea.

Miss Catherine Henn of Denver, Colo., who has been visiting with her mother for the past two months has returned to her home.

Miss Louise Bood has departed for Waverly to take a course in stenography.

Charles Mitchell and son Albert of Springfield were here the forepart of the week looking after their farm interests.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Clemons Friday, a son, Louis Lee.

WATER SAVING
must be kept up to a still greater extent. We must accumulate some reserve for fire fighting.

JOSHUA VASCONCELLOS, Commissioner

HAVE BEEN GRANTED SALE OF AMERICAN FENCE.

In order to give better service to farmers in the west part of the county, Hall Bros. have leased a brick store room thirty feet wide on Main street in Chapin and will carry a complete line of Modern Farm Machinery, Buggies, Gasoline Engines, Pumps, Grass Seed, American Fence, etc.

Mr. W. W. Anderson, who was formerly in the employ of Mr. O. H. Coultas and Mr. W. J. Edelbrock, will manage Hall Bros.' store at Chapin.

This new location, in connection with their stores in Franklin and Murrayville, will enable the Jacksonville firm to cover Morgan county in which they represent some of the leading lines of Farm equipment.

William and John Spaenhower and Mr. and Mrs. John D. Wood helped represent Pisgah precinct in the city yesterday.

MURRAYVILLE

Pinneas Blakeman a well known resident of Murrayville suffered a paralytic stroke Wednesday and is reported in a serious condition.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Armitage gave a farewell party at their home Friday evening in honor of their son Otto Armitage who is soon to leave for service with Uncle Sam. A number of the young man's friends were present and the evening was spent in a pleasant manner with games and other amusements.

Jesse Allen Rimbey son of Brewer Rimbey who was injured in an accident at the Murrayville elevator some months ago is again suffering from the effects of his injury. The boy sustained an injury to his leg which never entirely healed and is now causing him considerable trouble.

MODERN VERSION OF MOTHER HUBBARD.

Old "Mother Gossett" she went to the faucet

To get her some water to drink.

But when she got there she was emptied to swear

And what was it happened you think?

Well she opened the spout but no water came out

Oh never a drop did she find.

So she climbed to the steeple and called all the people.

And gave them a piece of her mind.

Said she "Don't you see in this land

'Tis time to administer kicks.

For my sink is so slimy, my hands are so grimy

'Tis awful to be in this fix.

And we lose reputation all over creation

For travelers are crying out 'Bosh!' And our town they are shying they say we're not trying

To give them some water to wash.

The lake is rusty, the reservoir's rusty

The sewers are filled to the brim.

While we are unheeding the germs they are breeding;

Oh why is our vision so dim?

If the schools we would visit and look in the closet

What filth would we find there today?

The children I pity who live in this city

And the parents who leave things this way.

We've hospitals many for sick if there's any,

And doctors to cure all their ills.

With lotion and portion and yet I've a notion

There's no water to wash down their pills.

But perhaps 'tis a lesson that carries a blessing?

And we have been learning it fast.

'Tis long I am telling that there has been yelling

To get us to 'bond' in the past.

I often have laughed when I heard the word "Graft"

And how we were clubbing the men

And also I noted tho for them we voted

We swear we'll not do it again.

Yet often I wondered and many days pondered,

Who's really deserving the blame.

When their offers were hooted, and almost them booted

When they asked us to bond for the same.

We'll brighten that banner that flies o'er the manor

And waves from the flagstaff and dome,

And add to its glory so famous in story

By being some cleaner at home.

And help lick the kaiser by waking up wiser.

And rousing our people to think;

So haul out the motors and marshal the voters

And get us some water to drink."

S. A. Hughes.

FOR SHERIFF.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Republican nomination for sheriff, subject to the primary election.

George L. Stics.

JOHN L. SULLIVAN**TAKES THE COUNT**

OLD GLADIATOR OF PRIZE RING DIES OF HEART DISEASE.

Was One of the Most Interesting Figures of Prize Ring Renown—In Recent Years He Has Led a Glorious Fight Against John Barleycorn.

Abington, Mass., Feb. 2.—John L. Sullivan one of the most interesting figures of prize ring renown died suddenly of heart disease at his home in West Abington today. As was his wish, he died with his shoes on. Altho stricken with heart trouble three weeks ago he had quickly improved and was in no sense an invalid. He was about to leave his house today to pay a visit to Boston to see his old friend Captain James P. Sullivan, of the Boston police department when he received his final knockout.

His friend and companion George M. Busch, rushed to his side as the old gladiator sank to the floor unconscious, and revived him with cold water applications to the head.

"John L." responded quickly to this treatment, as in his palmy days in the prize ring struggled to his feet, and refused to take the decision of "time." He reluctantly consented to have a physician called, but after receiving medical treatment, announced that he would have a bath and keep his appointment. Even as he expressed his determination he became unconscious and died apparently without further pain.

The body will be taken to the home of his sister in Boston, where funeral services will be held Wednesday morning.

Hardly had the news of the passing of one of America's greatest pugilistic champions been flashed broadcast, than messages of sympathy began pouring into town from men in all walks of life.

Sullivan in his time was a popular idol and he never entirely lost his hold on the public. This was due not only to the success of his prize fighting days, but to his rugged battle later against his old enemy going habits.

"John L." always attributed his loss of the American championship to James J. Corbett by a knockout in New Orleans Sept. 7, 1892, to liquor. He made a fortune when his friends tendered him a benefit concert in Boston to put him on his feet again. The money obtained from this venture went also according to his ruling habit and then Sullivan's old fighting spirit re-asserted itself and he announced that he had entered the list against John Barleycorn for a fight to the finish. The public regarded this challenge with interest but "John L." battled with John Barleycorn as he had with all his opponents. He forced the fighting as it were. He proclaimed his defiance of drink from platforms throughout the country and held himself up to the youth as a horrible example of what drink would do. He never let up in his aggressive fight against liquor and frequently left his farm here for long temperance speaking tours.

He was fifty-nine years old when he was counted out. He had often expressed regret that he was too old to go with the boys overseas but he was not too old to do his bit. He never declined an invitation to speak at a flag raising or recruiting rally or in behalf of the liberty loan.

Sullivan was never taught how to box. He took to fighting naturally. His first appearance in the ring was at a variety performance in Boston when he was in his 'teens, a magnificently built young man weighing nearly 200 pounds. A husky boxer who was one of the performers, challenged anyone in the audience to enter the ring with him. It was a summons Sullivan could not refuse, altho he had not ring experience. Peeling of his coat he leaped upon the stage, took a blow to the head and knocked out his opponent with one clean punch straight from the shoulder. It was a method of fighting he never dropped.

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JACKSONVILLE YOUNG MAN WEDS PANA GIRL
Mr. Dudley C. Hittie and Miss Zeta Kelligan were married in Pana, Saturday noon Feb. 2nd. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Kelligan at that place. She has until very recently held a position as teacher in the public schools in her home town, having graduated from the Pana high school and taken a course at Champaign University.

Mr. Hittie is one of the well known musicians of Jacksonville, where he has been employed as violinist in the Opera house orchestra for several years.

Mr. and Mrs. Hittie will go to housekeeping on East State street, where they will be at home to their friends.

PUBLIC SALE
Wednesday, Feb. 20th at farm 12 miles east of Jacksonville and 4 1/2 miles north of Alexander, consisting of horses, mules, cattle and hogs.

George Wackerle.

CASS COUNTY FARM**HAS NEW OWNER**

Lee Edwards of Lees Summit, Mo., Purchases Watkins Tract East of Virginia—Mrs. Henry Monroe in Critical Condition—Other Cass County News Notes.

Virginia, Feb. 2.—Lee Edwards of Lees Summit, Mo., has purchased the 120 acre farm belonging to Bert Watkins, east of this city and will take possession at once. Consideration was \$12,500.

George Aldridge and Benjamin Perrin of this city left for Springfield a few days ago from where they will go to McPherson, Ga., with the Dr. Otis Hospital Unit.

In response to a telegram Meddances R. N. and E. C. Mills departed Tuesday evening for Ft. Sam Houston, Texas, where Lieut. E. C. Mills had been transferred from Ft. Sill, Okla., prior to his departure to France the ladies had been anticipating the call, but not at such an early date, from Texas.

Mrs. R. W. Mills will go to Lake Charles, La., and spend the remainder of the winter with relatives, while Mrs. E. C. Mills will return to Springfield, Ill.

Born Saturday, a son to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Miller of this city second child.

Mr. and Mrs. Bergen Montgomery and children of Decatur are the guests of the Bergen household in this city.

Miss Caroline Garner is confined to her home by a threatened attack of appendicitis.

Miss Lillie Crews, R. N., of this city, was called to Burlington, Iowa, by the serious illness of her sister, Mrs. Mame Burnett.

Marriages licenses were issued this week to the following:
LeRoy Corner, Ashland: Agnes June Mullen, Virginia.

John B. Walton, Virginia: Viola May Freely, Ashland.
Glen Birbaum, Beardstown: Edrene Thomas, Beardstown.

Ernest Garner and Vern Garner of Chanderville, were in the city yesterday, called by the serious illness of the former's sister, Mrs. Henry Monroe.

Mrs. M. V. Hill of Edinburg and Mrs. J. H. Garner of Chanderville are at the bedside of the latter's aunt, Mrs. Henry Monroe, who was stricken with paralysis Tuesday and remains in a critical condition gradually growing weaker.

John Peteish of Spokane, Wash., is in the city, called by the serious illness of his mother, Mrs. Nancy Peteish.

SCHOOL BOARD PATRIOTIC

The Board of Education has shown the patriotic spirit in holding the regular meeting on Tuesday, February 5th at 7:30 P. M. at the David Prince building. This change is made so the members of the board will be able to attend the mass meeting to be held at the Christian church Monday evening to hear the representatives of the United States Food Administration.

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You will find more value—visible and invisible—in the Chevrolet "490" than it is possible to produce in any other car in America.

NEW 1918 FEATURES

A new oil pressure gauge has been mounted on the instrument board.

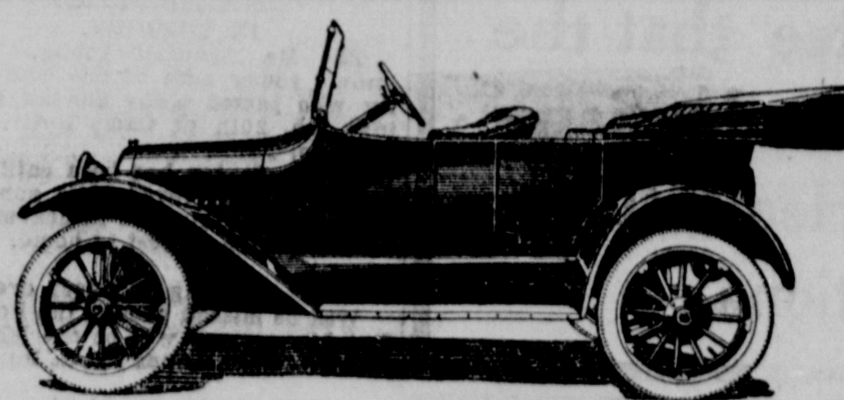
New details include: Foot rail, robe rail (touring car); tilted windshield, one-man top, improved type curtains, folding up into the top; flaps on top of each door for protection of the body and finish; pockets on the inside of each door; kick pad added at the rear of front seat; front and rear fender skirts extended to meet the radiator splash guard and the rear splash guard on the body.

NEW 1918 FEATURES

The motor is of an improved design. The cooling is by a water pump. The oil pump is now the gear type. The pump is placed in the forward end of the cylinder casting.

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CHURCH SERVICES

Central Christian church—M. L. Pontius, minister. Bible school at 9:30. C. L. DeFew, Supt. Morning worship at 10:45. The theme of the sermon by Mr. Pontius will be "Our Father's God." Mrs. Wilson, Mrs. Wehl and Mr. Strausser will sing. Christian Endeavor at 6:30. Leader of the Senior society meeting, Miss Fern Haigh. Leader of the Intermediate, Miss Catherine Gustafson. Junior leader, Melchi Hart. A cordial invitation is extended to all members and friends to attend these services.

Union service at Grace M. E. church at 7:30. Sermon by Rev. Pontius.

Grace Methodist Episcopal church—F. B. Madden, minister. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Public worship 10:45 a. m. Sermon by the pastor. Epworth League Mission Study class 6:15 p. m. Subject: India, a Province of Evangelical England. Miss Lulu D. Hay, leader. The Union service of the west side

churches at 7:30 p. m., with sermon by Rev. M. L. Pontius. Messrs. Watkins and Shoemaker will sing "My Faith Looks Up to Thee" by Lachner. A cordial welcome to everybody.

First Baptist church—A. A. Todd, pastor. Bible school 9:30 a. m. Pastor's morning message 10:45 on the theme "A Joyous City." B. Y. P. U. 6:30 p. m. Topic: "Winning Others to Christ." Union 7:30 p. m. service at Grace church. Rev. M. L. Pontius will preach. Prayer service Wednesday 7:30 p. m., followed by the pastor's Bible class to which all are invited. Services at Baptist chapel Sunday 2:30 p. m. and Friday 7:30 p. m. W. J. Boston, Supt.

First Church of Christ Scientist—Regular services are held in Odd Fellow's Temple, East State street, Sunday at 11 a. m. Subject "Love." Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Testimonial meeting, Wednesday at 7:45 p. m. The reading room, 507 Ayers Bank Bldg., is open each week day from 2:30 to 4:30 p. m. The public is cordially invited to attend the services and to visit the reading room.

Centenary Methodist Episcopal church—Rev. William R. Leslie, minister. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. A. C. Metcalf, supt. Morning worship at 10:45. Sermon on "The Sing of the Saints." Junior League at 2:30. Epworth League at 6:30. Topic: "Epworth League Goals and How to Reach Them." Evening service at 7:30. The sermon will be based upon the interesting book of war stories entitled "The Comrade in White." All services will be held down stairs. Everybody welcome. Official Board Tuesday evening at 7:30.

Brooklyn—There will be services both (morning and evening). Preaching by the pastor, W. W. Theobald. The subject at 10:45 a. m. will be "Salvation to the Uttermost," and at 7:30 p. m. "A Vision of God." Special music. If the weather should be extremely cold and stormy there will be no night service. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. J. A. Walter, Supt. A meeting of the officials has been called to meet at the close of

the morning service. A full attendance is desired.

State Street Presbyterian church—9:30 Sunday school. Classes for all ages and good program. T. M. Tomlinson, superintendent. Let every one who has the interest of the church at heart get under the school Divine services 10:45. Subject: "The Optimism of the Gospel." Evening service at Grace church, Rev. Pontius preaching. You are welcome to all these services. Good music.

Trinity Episcopal Church—Sexagesima Sunday. Early service 7:30. Sunday school 9:15. Holy communion and sermon 10:45. Woman's Auxiliary will meet at the residence of Mrs. Wm. Capps, 1018 W. State street Monday at 3 o'clock. The paper by Miss Mary Johnston "Christian Colleges in Foreign Lands" will be given.

Salem Evangelical Lutheran church—East College street. Rev. J. G. Kuppler, pastor. Sexagesima Sunday. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Public worship in English at 10:30 a. m. There will be no evening service. A cordial welcome to all. The Ladies Aid will meet Thursday with Mrs. Phil Schultz, Jr., 960 East College avenue, Thursday. The L. W. C. will meet Thursday evening at the school.

Congregational church—Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Brotherhood Bible class will join with the adult class in the Sunday school, all are welcome. Morning worship at 10:45 in the lecture room. Sermon by Rev. Geo. T. McCollum. Union services in the evening at Grace Methodist church at 7:30. Prayer meeting as usual Wednesday evening at 7:30. Topic: Unity of Achieving Denominational Goals. John 15:12-17. 1 Cor. 3:4-9. A timely and pertinent subject.

Westminster Presbyterian church—Edward B. Landis, pastor. The Sunday school will meet at 9:30. W. J. Brady is superintendent. Election of officers for the ensuing year will occur tomorrow. Morning worship at 10:45. Sermon by the pastor. Union evening services will be held at Grace M. E. church. Rev. M. L. Pontius will preach. The mid-week prayer meeting will be held Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. at the home of Henry Kamm, 1127 Mound avenue. A cordial welcome to all services.

Northminster Presbyterian church—Walter E. Spooner, minister. Preaching at 10:45 a. m. by the pastor. The morning subject will be "The Coming Again of Christ." This will be the last in a series on this subject. The speaker will deal with the fact of Christ's Coming and the Manner of His Coming. Attention will be called to the Difference of Christ coming FOR His people and WITH His people. Please note the stages of His Coming. Union services will be at the Grace church at 7:30 p. m. Rev. Pontius will be the preacher. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Ernest Fernandes, superintendent. Prayer meeting on Wednesday evening. Let every man in the church get his tickets for the Father and Son banquet for Feb. 12. Every man is expected to bring a boy and every boy is expected to bring a man, so let the men and boys get together.

Mt. Emory Baptist church, Enos L. Scruggs, minister—Lord's day services at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Theme of the morning discourse, "God's Work." In the evening the pastor will give an address to the officers of the different organizations on the "Essentials of Good Leadership." At the close of the sermon formal installation exercises will take place. Bible school at 2:30. We have a live school and will welcome you. At 4 p. m. the Pastor's Aid society will hold an important meeting. All members are urged to be present. 6:30, B. Y. P. U. meeting. A hearty welcome awaits you to these services.

McCabe M. E. church. M. Luther Mackay, pastor. Sunday will be quarterly meeting, the last of the conference year. Preaching in morning and evening by the pastor. The communion sermon will be preached by Rev. J. W. Fisher, pastor of Bethel A. M. E. church. On Tuesday evening Rev. W. R. Revere will preach. A warm welcome to all.

IN MEMORY.
To Mr. Leonard Young, well known young man of this community who passed away Sunday evening, Jan. 20th at Camp Kelly, San Antonio, Texas.
Hark the Savior has been calling
Now another loved one's gone
Gone to meet his God in heaven,
There to be at rest at home.

How his tottering footsteps ever
Will be missed around the home,
But his memory will be cherished
By the loved ones sad at home.

Let us say to the one who loved him
Thou presence you will miss,
Think of meeting him in heaven,
There to have eternal bliss.

And we'll say to other loved ones,
Thou face you'll see no more,
Think of him, robed and waiting
For you on the other shore.

When our Father in His goodness
Tells us that our race is run,
Let us bow our heads in prayer
And to say, "Thy will be done."

—A Friend.
C. L. Reed of the northwesterly direction traveled to the city yesterday.

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MAVERICKS

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Shortest month in all the year.
The you bring the ground hog merry
When you're gone spring will appear.

Tag, you're it.
We wish somebody would steal
our snow shovel.

USING THEIR NOODLES.
The Decatur Review in speaking of the coming Little Nineteen State basketball tournament says some people think the Illinois men are "playing above their shoulders." Sure, just a case of using their noodles.

A lot of people are willing to obey the government's request to use more corn. The only trouble they want to use it in liquid form instead of in bread.

NAMES IS NAMES.
Winkler runs an optical shop in Galesburg.

It is said some men are even getting up and building the fires these days to convince the government they are supporting their wives.

The groundhog probably laughed in his sleeve yesterday when he came out, saw the shadow and retired for six weeks more of rest.

But we are hoping that his home was blocked by a snow drift so that he couldn't get out.

Weather Observer Hall said that the mean temperature for January was 12. We were of the opinion that it was even meaner than that.

Under the new ruling of the War department race suicide is likely to become unpopular.

WATCH YOUR STEP.
Twenty-five thousand amateur sleuths are at large in Illinois.

It would be awful if on top of all the others we would get a lot of salaryless days.

While all of this conserving is being done it is a shame that the hot air being expended down in Washington can't be utilized to some good purpose.

Mrs. Danskin should have asked some of our well known bachelors to write a letter on the woman citizen.

Somebody is always taking the joy out of life. While we are being pried loose from our meager earnings for coal, we are reminded that the ice crop will be light because of a shortage of water.

Secretary Baker passed the "Buck" to General Wood and the same day General Wood was injured by a bomb explosion.

Miller Huggins, new manager of the New York American league team the dispatches tell us wants to buy Ty Cobb from the Detroit team. We have no doubt that Huggins wants to do that very thing. If Mr. Huggins can offer the Woolworth building and several of New York's large hotels he might get Jennings to listen to a trade. If we had Cobb on our payroll and a player and money consideration was suggested we would think that the entire New York team and \$100,000 cash to boot would be about the proper thing.

ANNOUNCEMENT.
I respectfully announce my candidacy for highway commissioner in Road District No. 9, subject to the decision of the voters of said District at the election Tuesday, April 2.
George Wood, Sr.

C. P. & ST. L. SHOPS
ADOPT NEW SCHEDULE

Beginning Monday a new schedule will go into effect for machinists and boiler makers at the C. P. & St. L. shops.

This schedule is made necessary because of the scarcity of machinists and boiler makers, many of whom have been drafted into government service. Last Thursday General Manager Hurs, and Superintendent of Motive Power, C. S. Branch, were in the city relative to the matter.

They consulted with the men affected by the schedule. It was shown by Mr. Hurs that it was necessary to get all of the power possible to move freight at this time. The men have an agreement with the management of the C. P. & St. L., that was contrary to the proposed schedule.

However, a meeting was held by the men Friday evening at which the matter was discussed in all its phases. The men unanimously agreed that it was a matter of patriotic duty at this time to do all they could to assist the government. The result was that the men agreed to give additional time to the company in the present emergency.

The schedule agreed upon is as follows:

Beginning Monday the boiler makers and machinists will start to work at 7 a. m. and work until noon. They will take forty minutes for dinner and then work from 12:40 to 6:20 p. m. The men will work every Sunday and on alternate Sundays will quit at 5 o'clock.

The action of the men in thus offering to do their "bit" in the present crisis is most commendable. It also shows that they are patriotic and willing to do their share in assisting the government.

WILL COMPLETE WORK OF
COLLECTION THIS WEEK
Sheriff Graft and Deputy Sheriff Andrews have been busy the past week visiting outlying towns in the county and collecting taxes. They expect to complete the work the coming week. The itinerary for the week is as follows:
Monday—Concord.

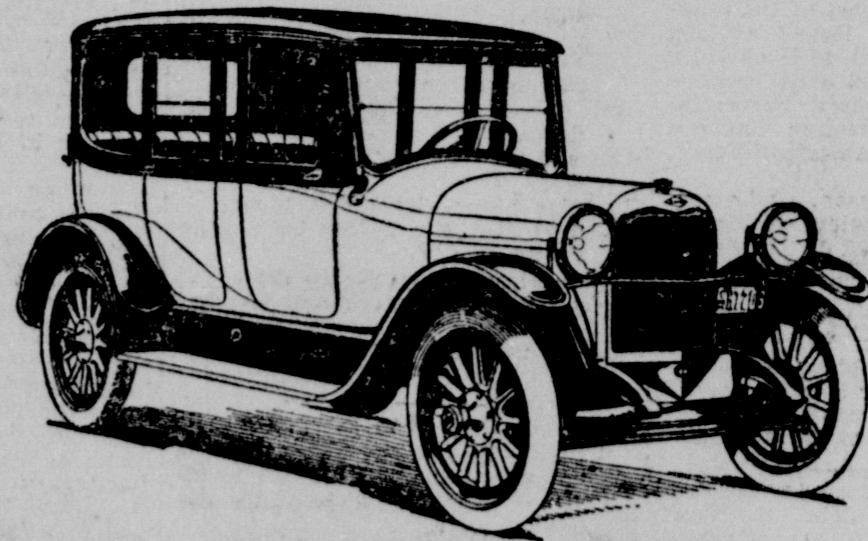
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Please send without cost or obligation to me your Free Proof Treatment.

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Hours—9-11:30 a. m. 1:30-5 p. m.
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Comfort of air of Home, Sun Parlor,
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If you have anything in this line
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BELL 215-ILL. 355.
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(East of Jacksonville Packing Co.,
and north of Springfield Road.)

OMAHA LIVESTOCK MARKET
Omaha, Feb. 2.—Hogs—Receipts 10,000;
steady; mixed \$15.50@16.00; lights \$16.75@
\$17.00; plus \$10.00@11.00; bulk \$15.50@16.00.
Cattle—Receipts 1,000; steady; cows and
heifers \$7.00@11.00; calves \$9.00@13.00.
Sheep—Receipts 100; steady; lambs low-
er; yearlings \$12.00@13.00; wethers \$11.00
@12.00; ewes \$10.75@12.50; lambs \$16.25@
\$17.25.

KANSAS CITY GRAIN MARKET
Kansas City, Feb. 2.—Cash Corn—No. 2
mixed \$1.70@1.80; No. 2 white \$1.87@1.90;
No. 2 yellow \$1.75@1.85.
Oats—No. 2 white \$0.84@0.86; No. 2 mixed
\$0.81@0.84.
Rye—\$2.00@2.10.
Hay—Unchanged.

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are organizing a telephone service be-
tween all the large cities and the
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WANTED
WANTED—Position as housekeeper.
Best of reference. Ill. Phone 50-
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WANTED—All people out of em-
ployment. Jacksonville Employ-
ment agency. 237 East State St.
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WANTED—Job on farm by experi-
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eral housework. Reference re-
quired. Call Illinois phone 716.
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WANTED—Housekeeping by wid-
ow, 30, with child 4, for widower
in country. 1 March. Mrs. Etta
Ealey, Murrayville, Illinois, R. 1.
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WANTED—Child's bed needed badly
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Call mornings, Illinois phone 26.
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Don't matter if broken. I pay
\$2 to \$15 per set. Also cash for
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WANTED—Well cleaning and dig-
ging, remember now is the time
to clean the well. Call both phones
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WANTED—Man to chop wood and
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erberry. 2-1-4t.

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WANTED—Five bright capable La-
dies to travel, demonstrate and sell
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WANTED—Men, Women, copy mail-
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Johnson Agency. 2-1-1t.

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rooms for light housekeeping.
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immediate disposal, very cheap.
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gain prices. Jacobs Motor Car
company, 312 East State street.
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FOR SALE—Reid's Improved Yellow
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FOR SALE—Cobbler's repair and
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FOR SALE—Four big Jacks. These
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FOR SALE—Oldsmobile 55 horse-
power engine, Bose high tension
magneto, cheap if taken by Feb-
ruary 15th. Engine in good
shape. Inquire at DeSilva's Quick
Lunch counter, West State street.
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BASKETBALL SUPREME AT DAVID PRINCE

Eight Teams Have Been Organized
to Play Seven Weeks.

HOW THEY STAND

Team No.	Captain	F. W. L.	Pct.
1	Hackett	1 0 0	100
2	Sousa	1 0 0	100
3	Williams	1 0 0	100
4	Rexroat	1 0 0	100
5	Madden	1 0 0	100
6	Goebel	1 0 0	100
7	Putnam	1 0 0	100

What promises to be one of the best
Leagues in the City, with eight fast
teams as evenly matched that it would be
hard to pick the best, is being played off
on the David Prince floor every Saturday
morning.

The games were exceedingly fast and
hard fought yesterday morning, and with
another weeks practice every team will
be in the best condition to put up a
strong fight for the championship.

In the first game of the League Hack-
ett's team won from Rexroat 6-0. Both
teams were evenly matched and the game
was a hard fought one.

The second game of the morning was a
bitterly fought contest and several
flashes of team work by both teams
made the game a very good one for those
watching. Sousa's team finally won out
8-2 from Madden.

The third game between Giebel and
Lewis was a hair raising, and although
neither team was able to run much of a
score it was a hard fought game from start
to finish. Close guarding by both teams
kept the score low. The final count was
4-2 with Lewis holding the 4.

The last game between Putnam and
Williams was also full of thrills, and al-
though quite a good deal of rough work
was tried neither team gained by it and
they were evenly matched. Time after
time Putnam team mates would carry the
ball down to the basket but would be un-
able to hit the hoop. The final score of
this game was Williams 12 and Putnam 6.

The next games will be played next
Saturday morning. The first game will
begin shortly after 9:30. Every Captain
is urged to get his team together this
week and tell them of the importance of
being there on time.

The best scores of the Saturday morn-
ing games follow:

FIRST GAME

Team No.	Captain	FG.	FT.	Tl.
1	Hackett, (Capt.)	1	0	2
2	Wetherford	1	0	2
3	Williams	1	0	2
4	Hunt	1	0	2
5	Goodwin	1	0	2
Totals		3	0	6

SECOND GAME

Team No.	Captain	FG.	FT.	Tl.
1	Rexroat, (Capt.)	1	0	2
2	Ames	1	0	2
3	Young	1	0	2
4	Kirk	1	0	2
5	Ames	1	0	2
6	Camp	1	0	2
Totals		6	0	12

THIRD GAME

Team No.	Captain	FG.	FT.	Tl.
1	Lewis, (Capt.)	1	0	2
2	Goebel	1	0	2
3	Alkire	1	0	2
4	Mitchell	1	0	2
5	Putnam	1	0	2
6	Hausmann	1	0	2
7	Stuebfield	1	0	2
8	Dray	1	0	2
Totals		8	0	16

FOURTH GAME

Team No.	Captain	FG.	FT.	Tl.
1	Putnam, (Capt.)	1	0	2
2	Goebel	1	0	2
3	Kamm	1	0	2
4	Purty	1	0	2
5	Larue	1	0	2
6	Wetzel	1	0	2
Totals		6	0	12

MANCHESTER RESIDENT
DIES IN WASHINGTON
Mrs. Rosanna Langford Passes Away
at Home of her Son in Tacoma.

Manchester, Feb. 2.—Word was received
here Friday of the death of Mrs. Rosanna
Langford which occurred Thursday at the
home of her son, M. H. Langford, in
Tacoma, Washington. Mrs. Langford
has spent her entire life in Manchester
with the exception of the past few
months which have been spent with relatives
in the west. Her husband, Martin
Langford, died in September of 1916. Mrs.
Langford was 71 years of age and leaves
three sons, M. H. Langford of Tacoma,
Wash.; George of Olympia, Wash.; and
Charles of Portland, Oregon.

Mrs. Langford was a well known to all
in the community and the news of her
death is received with sadness.
The remains are expected to arrive
Tuesday and will be taken to the Lang-
ford home here. Funeral and burial ar-
rangement will be made later.

INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS
The annual installation of the Masonic
lodge was held Thursday evening. The
following were installed:
J. W. H. E. Goller.
J. W. J. A. Kers.
Treasurer—E. H. Haine.
Secretary—F. Travis.
S. D.—A. L. Mehrhoff.
J. D.—Claude Martin.
Worshipful Master—H. Walton.
Marshals—G. D. Barnes.
S. S.—E. C. Chapman.
J. S.—E. A. Rochester.

MURRAYVILLE
Mrs. Spencer Smith and Miss Beulah
Robinson of Concord were guests of Miss
Robinson's sister, S. R. Robinson and
wife from Tuesday until Thursday.

Mr. A. B. D. Cade is on the sick list this
week.

A number from here attended the fun-
eral of Mrs. John Hayes at Manchester
Thursday.

P. M. Blakeman suffered a paralytic
stroke Wednesday night and is in a very
critical condition.

Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Crabtree of Jack-
sonville were guests of friends here Wed-
nesday night and Thursday.

Jess Alvin Rimbey was taken seriously
ill Thursday night when on his way from
the police show but is reported better
at this time.

Miss Edna Sorrells of Jacksonville vis-
ited C. R. Starnes and family this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Phillips were vis-
itors here at the home of the former's
parents R. A. Phillips and wife Tuesday
and Wednesday.

Mrs. Carrie Wedge and daughter Flor-
ence of Carrollton are visiting Mrs.
Wedge's sister, Mrs. John Osborne and
family this week.

A number of people of Springfield was
called home this week on account of the
serious illness of P. M. Blakeman, his
brother.

Dr. C. E. Waters was a business visitor
in Jacksonville Saturday.

Uriah Rimbey still remains in a feeble
condition being confined to his bed all
the time.

CONFIDENCE LESSENS REGARDING PEACE

CHICAGO, Feb. 2.—Lessening of bear-
ish confidence regarding the outlook for
peace did a good deal today to setting
corn which closed 1/4¢ to 1/2¢ net
higher, with March \$1.21 and May \$1.24@
\$1.25.
Oats gained 1/4¢ and provisions 17¢@37¢.
Throughout the day, corn had an upward
tendency, receipts here instead of being
enlarged even smaller than has been the
rule of late.
Week-end adjustment of trades, kept
the market on the upgrade to the end.
Profit taking by shorts was mainly
responsible for the advance of oats.
Provisions rose with hogs and because
of the bullish showing of warehouse
stocks in Chicago.

PUBLIC SALE FARM LANDS CITY PROPERTY

The undersigned, The Farmers
State Bank and Trust Company, as
Executor of the Last Will and Testam-
ent of Samuel W. Black, deceased,
will sell on

SATURDAY, FEB. 16, 1918
at 2 o'clock p. m. at the South Door
of the Court House in Jacksonville,
Ill., to the highest and best bidder
for cash

MORGAN COUNTY FARM LANDS

as follows:
71 acres, more or less, lying west
of the C. P. & St. L. R. R. in S. E.
1/4 Section 22, T. 16, R. 10, about 5
miles north of Jacksonville.

148.3 acres, more or less, in Sec-
tions 13, 23 and 24, T. 16, R. 10,
about 6 miles northeast of Jackson-
ville.

73 acres, more or less, in Section
25, T. 16, R. 11, about 5 miles north-
west of Jacksonville.

JACKSONVILLE CITY PROPERTY

as follows:
83 West College Avenue with 85
feet, more or less, frontage.
628 South Prairie Street with 62
feet, more or less, frontage.
725 South West street with 47
feet frontage.

729 South West Street with 63 1/2
feet, more or less, frontage.
731 South West Street with 54
feet frontage.

Pasture or garden lot 180 feet,
more or less, by 164 1/2 feet, more or
less, lying west of and adjacent to
numbers 725, 729 and 731 South
West Street.

The right is reserved to sell any of
said property at

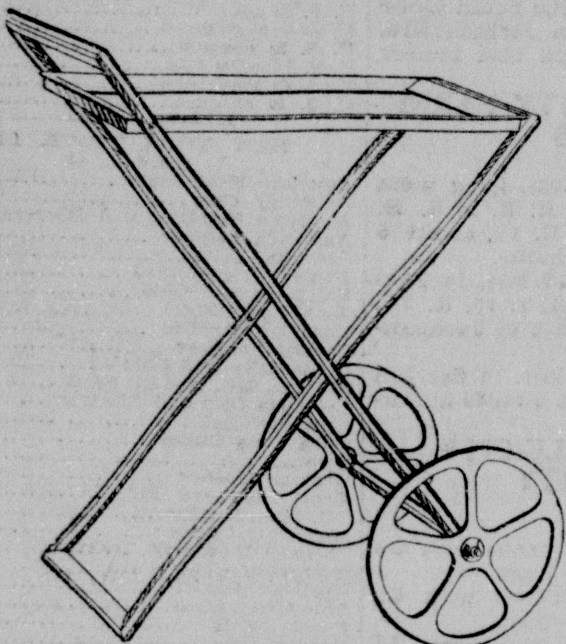
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An Event Designed to Break All Sale Records! February 5 to 28--Inclusive

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Odd Lots, Single Pieces, Remnants, Discontinued Patterns, Broken Lots, Etc. Also Thousands of Dollars' Worth of New Merchandise Purchased at "Before the War Prices" SAVINGS RANGE FROM 10 TO 50%

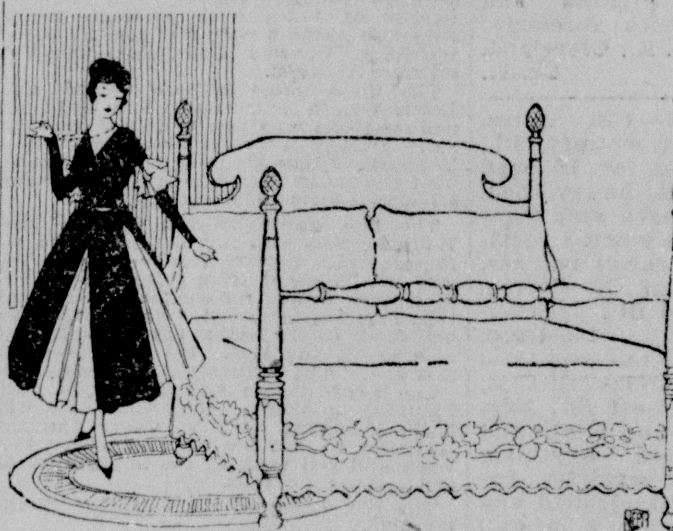


23rd Semi-Annual Sale

FOLDING TEA CARTS

each

\$1.49



23rd Semi-Annual Sale on COLONIAL POSTER MAHOGANY BEDS \$35.00 value at \$26.95

23rd Semi-Annual Sale of

MATTRESSES

No line of merchandise has been so vitally affected by the war as far as advances are concerned, than Mattresses. We anticipated many months ago, and are able to offer you several numbers at old prices, including the

SEALY, WINDSOR, ANCHOR and OSTERMOOR

all at reduced prices. We have a number of "OUR OWN FELTS"

45 lb., all white guaranteed felt, roll edge, full size Andre & Andre standard quality. Value according to today's market is \$15.00. Our twice yearly sale price—

\$10.95



"Push The Button and Rest"

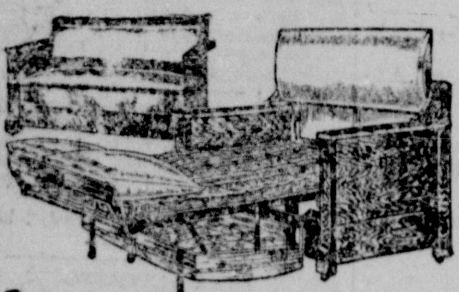


Royal Easy Chairs

23rd Semi-Annual Clearing ROYAL REST CHAIRS

The lowest prices of the year have been named on this popular chair. Our \$17.50 Chair finished golden

\$14.95



DAVENPORTS

A car load of the famous Kroehler Davenos and Kodavs just received. As shown, golden or fumed oak, black or Spanish upholstering. 23rd Semi-Annual Sale

\$29.85

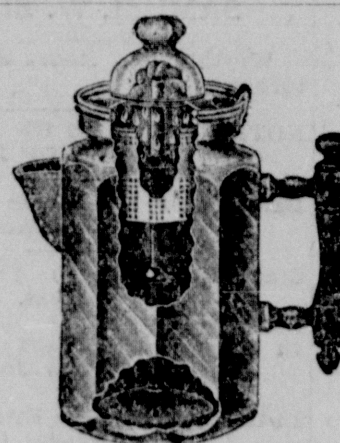
Others as low as \$21.95



23rd Semi-Annual Clearance of DINING CHAIRS

Dozens of patterns to select from, ranging from \$10 to 98c each. An especially attractive one similar to cut, solid seat, all quartered oak back, finished fumed or golden. Regular price \$3 each. Semi-Annual Sale

\$2.35



Eight Cup Aluminum PERCOLATOR

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\$1.35



23rd Semi-Annual Clearing on LARGE ROCKERS

One like cut, brown Spanish Boston leather, well made and comfortable. Regular price \$25.00

\$18.95



Standard Size White Enamel BATH STOOL

Worth \$2.00. Semi-Annual Sale

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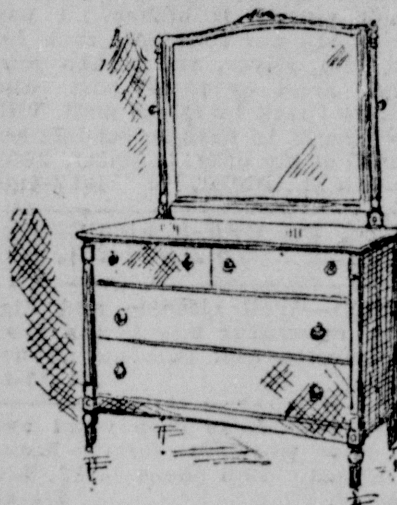


Your Opportunity to buy a UNITED STATES FLAG

We only have a small quantity. They are fast color size 5x8, complete with staff and metal bracket.

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23rd Semi-Annual Clearing DRESSERS & CHIFFONIERS

We have a number of odd Dressers and Chiffoniers in different qualities and finishes that we are pricing below manufacturer's cost, to move them quickly. This is an opportunity you cannot afford to let pass, as they are reduced from 20 to 50%



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23rd Semi-Annual Sale

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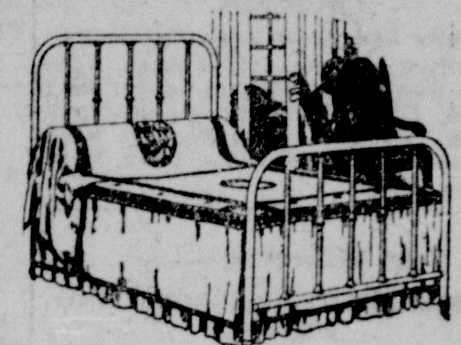


23rd Semi-Annual Clearance of Large Over-stuffed CHAIRS AND ROCKERS

All of Karpenesque quality. One like cut in solid mahogany, upholstered in Mulberry Verona Silk finished Velour

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Extraordinary assortment, all finishes. Clearing prices prevail throughout. 2-in. continuous post, 1-in. filler, feather weight steel bed, full size — Vernis Martin

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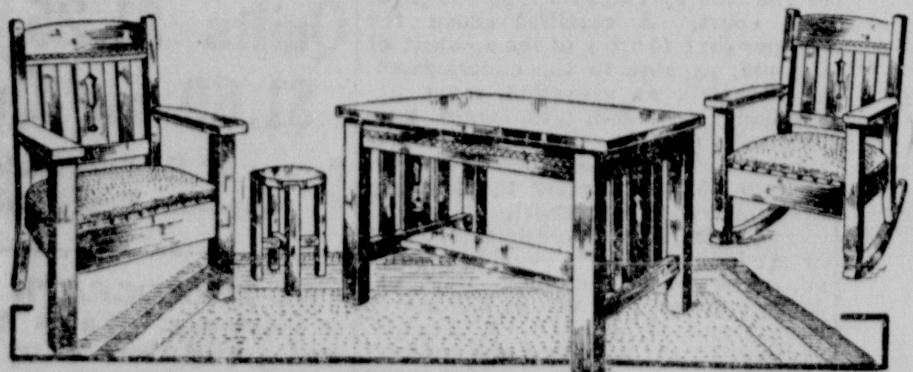
10 to 50% reductions. Semi-Collapsible Go-Cart, like cut

\$4.75

No remnants or odd pieces selected from these sale assortments will be accepted after purchase for credit, refund or exchange.

Everyone who can attend our Twice Yearly Sale will do so for the fame of these sales is now almost State Wide and the money saving opportunities they afford are welcomed by all. If for any reason you cannot come, order by mail or telephone.

Co-operating with the United States Government, our store will be closed Mondays until March 25th, inclusive, unless order is rescinded.

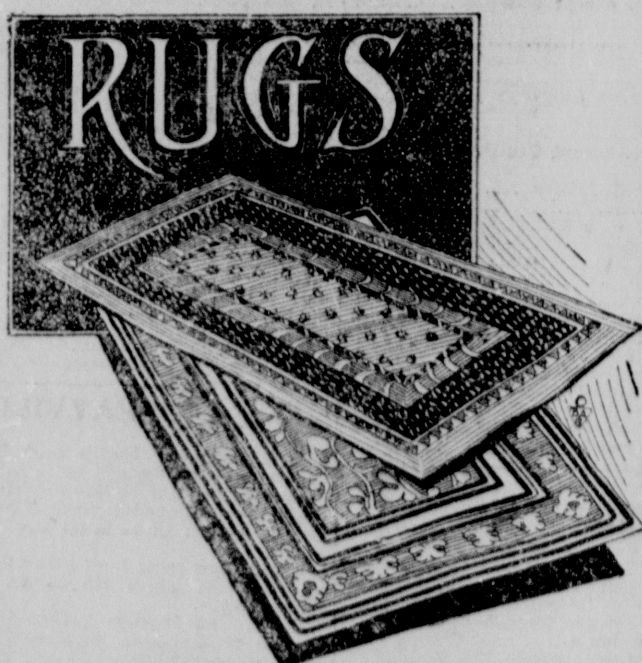


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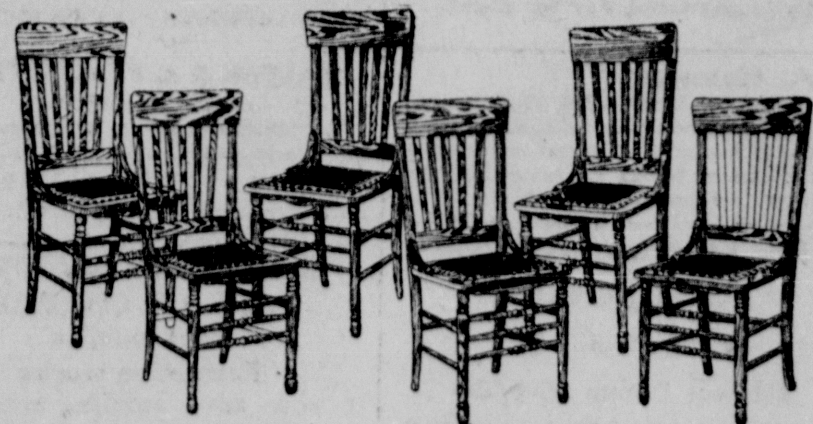
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23rd Semi-Annual Sale RUGS, CARPETINGS, LACES AND DRAPERIES

Alert buyers will not hesitate to take advantage of the wonderful economy opportunities presented by our Great Twenty-third Semi-Annual February Sale.

Opportunities which the unusual conditions of today may make impossible in seasons to come. There are tremendous stocks of Home Furnishings, including—FURNITURE, RUGS, CARPETINGS, LINOLEUMS, DRAPERIES, STOVES, RANGES, ETC., marked down for immediate clearance ONE-FIFTH to ONE-HALF. DON'T FAIL TO ATTEND



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Set of six, similar to cut, finished fumed

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STATE WATER REPORT WILL SOON BE READY

Engineer Habermeyer of Water Survey Will Send Greatly Desired Statement This Week.

The cheering news came from Engineer Habermeyer, acting chairman of the Illinois water survey, that the report on the Jacksonville water situation will be ready within a very few days. This message came to Dr. Carl E. Black of the committee by telephone Saturday afternoon, when he called up Mr. Habermeyer to make inquiry. Dr. Bartow, chairman of the Illinois water survey, is now in Europe in the service of the U. S., and in his absence Mr. Habermeyer is serving as chairman. He has visited Jacksonville a number of times in connection with the water investigation, as has been true of representatives on the state geological survey and the state board of health.

Report Formulated.
Mr. Habermeyer said yesterday that he and the representatives of other state bodies had concluded their conferences the past week and had formulated the report on the Jacksonville water situation. He said all that remains is to write this report from the data collected and that the task of writing this report is in his hands and will be given attention early this week. The engineer intimated that the formal report and recommendations will be comparatively brief but that the report will be accompanied by various charts and records which can be considered by Jacksonville people in connection with the report.

In a letter to Commissioner Vasconcellos recently Mr. Habermeyer stated that because of the delay and unusual weather conditions that he and his associates had decided it would be well to compile their findings without waiting for the data from another test well which was to have been sunk.

As indicated recently, inquiries from members of the joint water committee of city officials and citizens have been very frequent during these recent weeks of acute water shortage and the public will be greatly interested in and relieved to know that the looked for report will be available for public consideration in the course of a week. There is an earnest and widespread demand for some movement to make water supply improvements so that the city cannot possibly be in its present all-waterless condition another year.

Situation is Clearing.
Since the investigation by the state organizations was begun a year ago there might have been some embarrassment in starting a movement for water supply before this report had been received. Now that situation will not develop and within a very few days there should certainly be found some common ground for a movement to secure a water supply. The report, no matter what it says or what it recommends, will certainly be an interesting piece of reading matter for the Jacksonville public.

Roszell's Brick Ice Cream today. Luly-Davis Drug Co.

WINS GOLF TOURNAMENT.
Pinehurst, N. C., Feb. 2.—J. D. Standish, Jr., of Detroit, today won the president's trophy in the final event of the St. Valentine Golf tournament here by defeating Howard C. Phillips, of Pinehurst, 3 and 12.

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WINCHESTER CHILD AT PASSAVANT HOSPITAL

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Southam Taken to Jacksonville for Treatment—Other News Notes.

Winchester, Feb. 2.—Letitia, the twelve year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Southam, returned to Passavant hospital in Jacksonville Saturday for a slight operation. Miss Letitia was a patient at the hospital for three months some six weeks ago but since that time has improved at the home of her parents here.

Mrs. Russell Hubbard who has been visiting at Exeter was a Saturday visitor here at the home of C. B. Hubbard.

Packard Raader left Friday night for St. Louis. He has been at his home here about nine weeks after his four year service with the U. S. marines. It is understood that his trip to St. Louis is made to reenter the U. S. military service.

Julia Wells, son of W. D. Wells, left Tuesday night for Eden, Idaho, called there for physical examination by the Eden exemption board. He was expected to arrive at Eden Saturday noon.

Mrs. Easter Ellis, who has been spending the winter at the home of Samuel Woodall and family at Alsey, was in Winchester Saturday on business.

Mrs. J. C. Grout expects to leave Sunday for Grand Fork, N. Dak., to visit her parents, Dr. and Mrs. S. H. Irwin.

W. D. Gibbs of St. Louis was in Winchester Saturday looking after business interests.

Newton Moore of Bluffs was a Saturday business visitor in Winchester.

MUST NOT EXCEED AUTHORITY.

Washington, Feb. 2.—State Fuel Administrators were notified by the Fuel Administration tonight that they must cease exceeding their authority in issuing without instructions from Washington general orders restricting the use of coal.

The admonition was called forth by the fact that some administrators have enforced the Monday closing order in a manner more drastic than was intended by the government and because of conflicting instructions issued to consumers.

NATIONALIST RETAIN SEAT FOR SOUTH AIRMARSH

London, Feb. 2.—The Nationalists have, after a sharp contest, retained the parliamentary seat for South Armagh made vacant by the death of Charles O'Neill killed at the front. P. Donnelly, nationalist, was elected receiving 2,316 votes against 1,017 polled by Dr. Thomas McCarten, Sinn Féin. Dr. McCarten who has been called the "first ambassador of the Irish republic" was arrested in Halifax last October in connection with his activities in the Irish rebellion but was later released and taken to New York to answer a charge of having fraudulently obtained an American passport.

GENERAL STRIKE MONDAY

Amsterdam, Feb. 2.—While the police and military are preparing for a general strike in Amsterdam on Monday there are no indications that the movement probably will not assume serious proportions. The strike movement is said to be backed by Socialists with Bolshevik tendencies and is declared to be an outward sign of discontent of the working classes, arising out of privations due to the war.

INCREASES PROPOSED

Washington, Feb. 2.—Increases ranging from 5 to 15 per cent in ocean and rail class commodity rates from New York, Philadelphia and Baltimore to Chicago and Mississippi river crossings were proposed in applications filed today with the Interstate Commerce Commission.

The Interstate Commerce Commission today postponed from Feb. 7 to Aug. 7 the effective date on proposed increased rates on potatoes from Iowa, Wisconsin, Minnesota, Michigan, North and South Dakota growing centers.

DEFICIENCY MADE UP

Washington, Feb. 2.—Surgeon General Gorgas reported to Secretary Baker today that as a result of the special campaign for the enlistment of army nurses the deficiency in that branch has been made up. General Gorgas has recommended additional buildings at the camps for housing nurses.

A TEXAS WONDER

The Texas Wonder cures gravel and bladder troubles, dissolves kidney, cures diabetes, weak and lame back, rheumatism and irregularities of the kidneys and bladder in both men and women. Regulates bladder trouble in children. If not sold by your druggist, will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1.00. One small bottle is two months' treatment and seldom fails to perfect a cure. Send for sworn testimonials. Dr. E. W. Hall, 2926 Olive St., St. Louis, Mo. Sold by druggists.—Adv.

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All Modern Conveniences!
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Shrapnel

Sergt. Stirling Saturday accepted one man for regular army duty at the recruiting station at the post office. Richard S. Cole of Dalton, Ga., enlisted in the aviation section of the U. S. signal corps. He left for Jefferson Barracks yesterday afternoon.

Chairman Weir of the local exemption board was in Springfield Saturday on business in connection with the affairs of the state auditor's office. Adjutant Green was in charge of the office during his absence. The board expects to send Byron C. Coultas of Jacksonville to Ft. Oglethorpe, Ga., Monday morning. Mr. Coultas was recently accepted for service in the medical department.

Word received from Fred Bray, who is stationed at the medical corps at Ft. Sheridan, states that his regiment is awaiting a call to entrain for France at any time. After leaving Ft. Sheridan relatives here do not expect to hear from Fred until his arrival in France.

MAJESTIC THEATER CHANGES PROGRAM

Manager G. M. Luttrell of the popular Majestic movie theater on East State street, has made several changes in the usual run of his picture program. Beginning yesterday and continuing hereafter, each Saturday Mr. Luttrell will present a 10 cent program, the same as that formerly presented on Monday. That is, in the future Butterfly photo plays, together with the Animated Weekly, will be presented on Saturday. On Wednesdays will be presented Current Events and Blue Bird photoplays as usual. On Mondays beginning tomorrow the Majestic will present a Nestor comedy together with one of M. H. Hoffman's Four Square productions. On Friday an L-Ko comedy will be given, together with the big serial now running, starring Marie Walcamp in "The Red Ace." Friday will continue to be a 5 cent admission day, also on Thursday the admission will be 5 cents, and on this day of the week Falcon pictures will be presented, together with Jaxon comedies, better known as "Pokes and Jabs." Until a rescinding order is received from the fuel administration the Tuesday programs have been cancelled. The addition of the Four Square productions on Monday and the changing of the former Monday program to Saturday, giving the Butterfly photoplays and the Animated Weekly on the last day of the week, gives Manager Luttrell a week's program of some of the strongest features presented to screen audiences anywhere in America.

Remember the big patriotic mass meeting at Central Christian church Monday night. Official U. S. government representatives will bring vivid war front reports.

FUNERALS

Stout.
Funeral services for J. Van Doren Stout were held from the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Charles Thompson, 729 West State street Saturday morning at 10 o'clock in charge of the Rev. R. B. Wilson, pastor of State Street Presbyterian church. The flowers were cared for by Mrs. Hollinger and Mrs. Richey. Burial was in Diamond Grove cemetery the bearers being T. M. Tomlinson, W. D. Wood, Harry Havenhill, Andrew Bacon, J. P. Lippincott and Fred L. Gregory.

DeSilva.
Funeral services for little Frances Burnetta DeSilva were held from the residence on North Church street Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in charge of the Rev. Walter E. Spooner, pastor of Northminster church. Music was furnished by Mrs. J. A. Scott and Mrs. J. M. DeFrates. The flowers were cared for by Mrs. Ira Roberts and Mrs. Minnie Wild. Burial was in Jacksonville cemetery.

WITH THE SICK

A. M. Masters is a patient at Passavant hospital where he recently had his tonsils removed.

Ralph Withee is here from Ottawa for a brief visit with relatives. He is in charge of street improvement work there for John Cherry and during recent weeks has supervised unloading of materials. Mr. Cherry has the contract for \$130,000 worth of paving to be done in Ottawa this season.

T. J. Wilson of Murrayville spent some time in the city yesterday.

**MOVING PICTURE
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MURRAYVILLE, ILL.**
Saturday night, Feb. 2nd
Five Reel Feature
**"THE
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A New Serial
"THE FATAL RING"
Shown every Thursday
night.
**COMING
Official French Govern-
ment War Pictures**
Wednesday night, Feb. 20

NEWS OF INTEREST FROM ALEXANDER

Brief Paragraphs of the Movements of Residents from Alexander.

Alexander, Feb. 2.—Mrs. Ida Conrad and daughter, Miss Mary, of Springfield, spent the day with her sister, Miss Agnes Hagel, at Alexander.

Mrs. Sam Ruble of Alexander, and Mrs. L. C. Luby of New Berlin returned home Saturday evening after a visit with relatives at Bowling Green, Mo.

Miss Rose Zellar of Lincoln and Miss Elizabeth Zellar of Mt. Pulaski came home yesterday evening and expect to spend Sunday at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hartman Zellar, at Alexander.

Miss Amanda Strube of Alexander expects to spend Sunday with relatives in Chapin.

John Morgan, who has been visiting relatives at Mt. Vernon the past week, returned home Saturday night.

Miss Minnie Ludwig, who is attending Sacred Heart Academy at Springfield, returned home to spend Saturday and Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Barbara Ludwig, of Alexander.

Miss Gertrude Hohman of Jacksonville is visiting relatives in Alexander.

John Kumle of Alexander is visiting Saturday and Sunday in Jacksonville at the home of his father, Joseph Kumle.

E. Cuzzins of Alexander expects to spend Sunday in Jacksonville.

Among the visitors in Jacksonville Saturday from Alexander were Mrs. Henry Reuter and Miss Regina Reuter, Rowena Sinclair, Misses Dovie and Mamie Corrington, J. B. Corrington, O. E. Ryan, Ralph Miller, and Misses Beulah and Laura Ryan. The U club met Saturday evening at the home of G. W. Black east of Alexander. All the young people present enjoyed a most delightful evening at the Black residence. At a late hour refreshments were served.

Y. M. C. A. TEAM LOSES AT SPRINGFIELD

The local Y. M. C. A. team which visited Springfield Saturday evening received a cleaning at the hands of the Paris Cleaners to the tune of 29 to 21. The Jacksonville players played a strong game thruout and the Springfield aggregation was forced to play all their cards to win. The following is the lineup and summary:

Jacksonville—	F.G.F.T.T.P.	
Autobus, rf	3	8
Cully, lf	2	0
Hull, center	0	1
Reynolds, rf	0	0
Huffman, lg	0	0
Ferreira, lg	1	0
Totals	6	21
Paris Cleaners—	F.G.F.T.T.P.	
Jenkins, rf	1	0
Rose, lf	2	0
Jasper, center	6	0
C. Livingston, rg	1	0
A. Livingston, lg	1	7
Taft, sub	0	0
Totals	11	7

Reference—Anderson.
The Paris Cleaners will play a return game at Jacksonville, Saturday, Feb. 23.

WILL ANNUL TRAINS

In order to conserve fuel and allow the engines to be used for hauling coal trains, the Chicago & Alton railroad today will annul seventeen passenger trains for Sunday only. Most of these passenger trains are on the main line and Jacksonville will feel the effect of the order only in annulling of the southbound Kansas City passenger Train No. 11, which is due here at 5:28 a. m., and the annulling of Train No. 46, due here from the south at 12:55 noon. With these two exceptions all of the Alton trains thru this city will run according to regular schedule.

TEXAS CREW WINNERS

Washington, Feb. 2.—In addition to the Knox Trophy, won thru excellence at gunnery practice the Battleship Texas has been awarded the battle-efficiency pennant and the prize for the best performance in fleet maneuvers. The three trophies were presented to the crew recently in the presence of Admiral Mayo, commander-in-chief of the Atlantic fleet and his staff. Secretary Daniels sent a congratulatory message to Captain Victor Blue who has been returned to the command of the Texas.

GERMAN COMMUNICATION.

London, Feb. 2.—The German communication from general headquarters received today by wireless says:
"Western theater: There is nothing new."
"The report from Austrian headquarters says: Artillery firing continues lively on the Asiago plateau and east of the Brenta."

WEATHER PREDICTIONS FOR COMING WEEK

Washington, Feb. 2.—Weather predictions for the week beginning Sunday, issued by the weather bureau today are:

"Great Lakes region unsettled first part of week, probably light light snow about Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday. Moderate temperatures generally."

"Upper Mississippi and lower Missouri Valley generally fair except light snow probably about Tuesday and again at end of week. Moderate temperatures generally."

NEBRASKA DEFEATED

Lincoln, Neb., Feb. 2.—Camp Dodge defeated the University of Nebraska 21 to 14 in basketball here tonight.

CONDITION NOT SERIOUS

Peoria, Ill., Feb. 2.—G. B. Leason, engineer of the C. & P. & St. L., engine wrecked in a collision near Grove Siding on the C. & P. U. Line early yesterday morning was experiencing much pain at a local hospital here tonight. His condition, however, is not considered serious.

Social Events

Gave Birthday Party.

Robert Henry, the four year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Phillips of East Chambers street entertained a number of his little friends at a birthday party at his home Saturday afternoon, the occasion being his fourth anniversary. Games suitable for the occasion were played and refreshments were served. He received a number of nice presents.

Mrs. H. M. McGuire Hostess to the W. B. A. of the Macabees.

Mrs. H. M. McGuire entertained the ladies of the W. B. A. Thursday afternoon at her home on Rountt street, it being the first social meeting held this year. The hostess was assisted in entertaining by her mother, Mrs. Margaret Casey. In spite of the cold weather there was a good attendance. The afternoon was spent in knitting, crocheting and games. Prizes were won by Mrs. William Carson, Mrs. Robert Asher, Mrs. Frank DeFrates received the guest prize. Dainty refreshments were served. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. James Smith of North Main street, Feb. 14.

Entertained at Bridge.

In honor of Miss Elva Brown, who is soon to leave Jacksonville with her sister, Mrs. Quisenberry for a home in St. Louis, Miss Eula Priest yesterday entertained a small company of friends at a bridge party at her home on West College avenue. The young women present spent a very enjoyable time at cards and afterward the hostess served excellent refreshments.

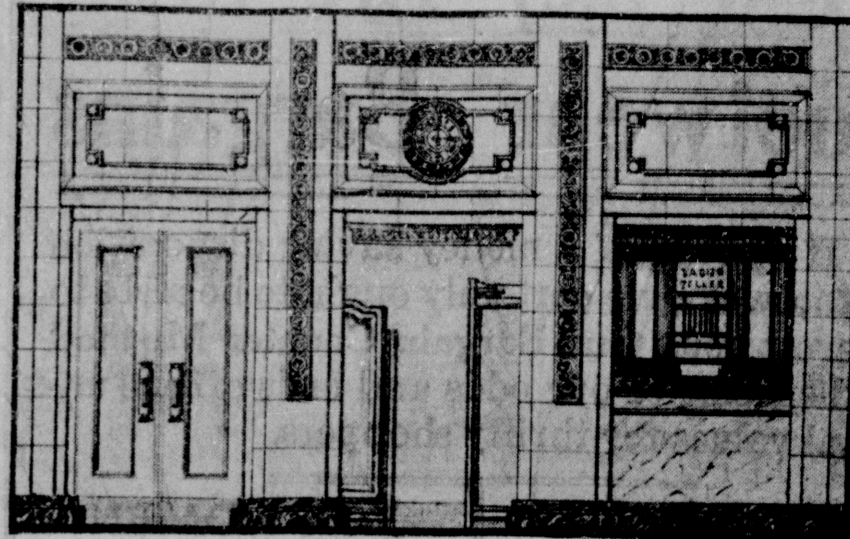
Fortnightly Club Met with Miss Stevenson.

The anniversary meeting of the Fortnightly club was held Saturday afternoon at the home of Miss Ann Stevenson on West College avenue. During the past year the members of the club have studied sixteen American statesmen and yesterday the members represented the wife of the particular statesman whom they had discussed during the year. As they threw tagots into the fire each in turn told something of the history of the nation. The Stevenson home was prettily decorated for the occasion and lighted with candles. In the dining room the decorations used were flags and the national colors and the refreshments served by the hostess were also in patriotic colors. Each member present came in costume relating to the period in which their particular statesman had lived. There were forty members present. Miss Mason, portraying Mrs. Lincoln characterized by Mrs. Belle Elliott Palmer, poured. The anniversary committee in charge of the meeting was composed of Mrs. L. S. Doane, Miss Mason, Mrs. L. O. Vaught, Miss Marian Fairbank and Miss Ann Stevenson.

OTIS HOFFMAN BUYS PINE STREET HOME.

Sheriff Grant Graft has sold to Otis Hoffman the Quisenberry property on Pine street which he recently purchased. Mr. Hoffman is to get possession of the property March 1 and will occupy it as a home. He recently sold his home on North Prairie street to Homer Ranson, who is soon to become a resident of Jacksonville.

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A Ladies' Checking Account in this bank enables a woman to keep an accurate account of her household expenses, to learn banking methods, and often times promotes thrift.

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CALLED TO HIS BROTHER

S. P. Angelo received word a day or two since that his brother, Benjamin, of Monte Vista, Colorado, was very ill. He wired the sender of the message but receiving no reply applied to the Master of the Masonic lodge in that place and received a reply within an hour stating that his brother was dangerously ill with no hopes of recovery. He expected to leave last night for the bedside of the invalid.

MAIL SERVICE FOR MONDAY.

Postmaster Dunlap has arranged a mail service change for Monday which will be appreciated by business men. As nearly all places of business will be closed two carriers will start out Monday at 8 a. m. and deliver mail to the establishments that are open. They will then return to the post office and undelivered mail can be obtained there, the plan being to have the windows open from 10 a. m. until 3 p. m. By this plan all business men will have the opportunity of receiving their Monday mail.

Misses Frances Strawn, Margaret Tomlinson and Irene Groves went to Griggsville yesterday to spend Sunday with their friend, Miss Elizabeth Farren.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

FOR RENT—Five room house on South Fayette street. Call at 943 West College avenue. Bell phone 869. 2-3-6t.

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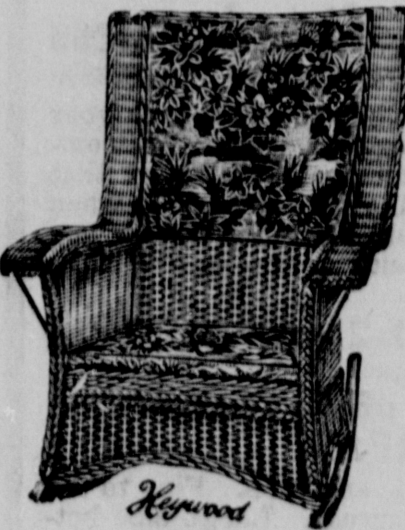
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A nice lot of tan shoes, two styles of toes, some real values, a good assortment of sizes. Special price—

\$4.95

Another lot of tans and blacks that we will clean up for this cleanup price—

\$3.95

FOR WOMEN

Women's Patent Shoes, a large assortment to select from, button or lace, cloth and leather tops at prices that are attractive considering the values. Two lots—

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A few styles in those novelty shoes that we make a special price of

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"A ROMANCE OF THE REDWOODS."

The Latest Mary Pickford Artcraft Picture.

The Cecil B. DeMille and Jeanie MacPherson eight-reel photoplay, "A Romance of the Redwoods," written for Mary Pickford and produced by the Artcraft Picture Corporation. A story of the rush to California for gold in '49, it moves along conventional but well defined lines that give the star many effective moments in a character skillfully adapted to her personality. At the finish it introduces a situation that will please many of Miss Pickford's admirers immensely.

The DeMille-MacPherson tale has for its heroine a young girl from New England, who goes to California in search of her uncle after the death of her parents. When she arrives at "Strawberry Flats" she discovers that her uncle has been killed by Indians, and that a handsome but unkempt road agent has assumed his name, for purposes of personal safety. Circumstances force the girl to accept the road agent's protection, and she takes up her abode in his cabin. Her innocence awakens the spark of good that is still alight within him, leads to his promise to abandon his unlawful occupation, and the two fall in love. Failure to keep his word causes him to be captured by a vigilance committee, and, as a last desperate means of saving his life, the girl indicates, by means of some clothes hastily stripped from a large doll, that he is the father of her unborn child. The trick succeeds and the pair are married on the spot by the sheriff.

After they have departed, the committee learns of the trick that has been played upon them, and accept their defeat at the hands of "one small woman."

Elliott Dexter plays "Black" Brown, the road agent, with the dash expected from such picturesque rogues, the favorite sons of romance. At Scott's Theater Monday.

Fred Killam was a city arrival from Markham yesterday.

Hot Water Bottle for Cold Feet and Sleeplessness

For those miserable minutes when you first tuck your feet into the "ice cold" sheets; for that constant discomfort you suffer because your feet "get cold"; for that sleepless half hour that seems like half the night when you can't get to sleep. For Cold Feet anywhere, any time, anybody's, we have the positive cure—a "WEAR-EVER" Hot Water bottle.

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Pretty Hands in Spite of the Dishpan! HAZEL CREAM

The best lotion for chapped hands and face. Fine to use after shaving. Is not sticky or greasy. Large size bottle for 15c
More for 25c
Fine Glass Stoppered for 35c which we guarantee to refill for 25c

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WILL BRING MESSAGE FROM WAR FRONT

Representatives of Government Recently Returned From Europe to Be Here Monday—Mass Meeting at Central Christian Church.

A telegram received Saturday by M. F. Dunlap stated that John B. Lord, H. Coe Culbertson and Mrs. Basil Clark will be members of the party who will come to Jacksonville to make several addresses in behalf of the government. As previously stated, following their return from a period of investigation particularly relative to food conditions in Europe, members of the commission sent abroad were requested to make a series of addresses in 19 different states. Itineraries were so arranged that the principal cities will be visited.

Coming Here Monday. Members of the party coming to Jacksonville will spend Sunday in Quincy and make several addresses and after holding the meetings here will proceed to Altamonte. The party will arrive Monday morning and will



H. Coe Culbertson.

be met at the train by some members of the local committee. The visitors will be quartered at the Dunlap House and as previously stated, will make addresses at Rount college at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon and at the high school at 3 o'clock. The general mass meeting will be held at Central Christian church beginning at 8 o'clock. This church was chosen because of the large auditorium available, with its seating capacity of nearly 2,000. Several of these speakers made addresses at the war conference just held in Urbana and Jacksonville men who heard them were very enthusiastic, maintaining that the addresses were really features of the conference program.

News From War Front. Reports from other cities visited by commission representatives are equally enthusiastic so that Jacksonville is indeed fortunate in being included in the Illinois itinerary.



Dan A. Reed.

The addresses do not consist of statistical information but the speakers, all of whom are persons of broad public experience, will give their first hand impressions of conditions at the war front and will substantiate all their statements with war facts which will no doubt serve to impress upon the people in a new way the real necessity of saving foodstuffs not only in their own behalf. The subjects to be presented are in reality of vital interest and the Monday night mass meeting promises to be an occasion of great importance. The committee of women to whom was entrusted details of arrangements for the several meetings have provided a musical program which will add to the pleasure of the occasion.

Just received a nice shipment Clover. Special today, \$18.50 per bushel. Jacksonville Farm Supply Co.

GRANTED DIVORCE IN MONTANA

A Big Sandy (Mont.) paper contained notice of the granting of a divorce to Mrs. Mabel Pelham Moore from her husband, John R. Moore, of Great Falls, Mont. The divorce was granted in the district court of Ft. Benton and the custody of their child, Bernice, was given to Mrs. Moore. For a resident of Big Sandy has been a resident of Big Sandy, engaged in teaching piano and voice.

NOTICE TO HUNTERS

The closed season on all hunting commences Feb. 1. All men seen with guns, no matter where, will be prosecuted by the state. A word to the wise is sufficient. STATE GAME AND FISH COMMISSION.

MISS LUSK INJURED IN AUTO ACCIDENT

Struck by Car Driven by Felix Farrell, Jr. — Unfortunate Accident Happened Near Corner of State and Kosciusko Streets.

As the result of an unfortunate accident Miss Agnes Lusk is a patient at Passavant hospital. Miss Lusk was struck by an automobile driven by Felix Farrell, Jr., about 6 o'clock Saturday night, the accident happening near the corner of Kosciusko and West State street. Miss Lusk fell to the pavement in an unconscious condition and was carried into the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Crabtree by Walter Schrag, Douglas Smith and H. C. Gay, who happened to be near when the accident happened.

Badly Cut and Bruised. Mrs. Crabtree called Dr. Bowe, who arrived from his home a block away just a minute or two after the accident and gave first aid relief. Later Miss Lusk was removed to Passavant hospital, where both Dr. Bowe and Dr. J. W. Hairgrove gave her attention. A complete examination indicated that no bones were broken but left it uncertain as to just the extent of Miss Lusk's injuries. There were bad cuts and bruises about the head and shoulders and a painful fracture of the nose. Other parts of the body are also severely bruised. After removal to the hospital Miss Lusk had periods of consciousness and was able to indicate to the physicians where she felt injuries, but she was not able to tell how the accident happened. At late hour last night the report from the hospital was that the patient was sleeping.

As already indicated the exact extent of the injuries cannot be determined for a day or two.

Details Lacking. Just how the accident happened is a matter of doubt. Felix Farrell, who was driving the car, had left the home of Mrs. C. A. Barnes on West State street and was driving toward the square with the lights on. Miss Lusk was evidently walking in the middle of the street, as she fell to the pavement at a point considerably west of Kosciusko street. After she was carried into the house someone investigated the spot where she fell and found a street car ticket, indicating that she had probably intended to ride on a street car but because one was not in sight, started to walk.

The passersby heard a thud as of someone falling and then noticed a prostrate form roll on the pavement. One of the men shouted to Mr. Farrell, who was still driving eastward, and he stopped his car 30 or 40 feet east of the point where the accident happened. The driver said he had not seen Miss Lusk and was not conscious of what had happened until the shout to stop reached him. The young man was almost prostrated himself by the accident and could hardly assist in carrying Miss Lusk into the house. He stated later that he was driving toward the square with lights on, was not driving rapidly and that he did not see Miss Lusk. The men nearby corroborated the statement as to the speed at which he was driving and the fact that lights were burning.

The accident was the cause of special grief to the young man because as a pupil in the fourth ward school he had come to know Miss Lusk intimately and to appreciate her friendship. Due to the fact that street lights were not on, and the time of the accident, just how it happened will not be known until Miss Lusk herself can give the details and it is of course possible that even she may not be able to recall the facts.

Anxiously Awaiting Developments. Miss Elizabeth Russel, close friend of Miss Lusk, hurried to the hospital as soon as she knew of the accident but could give no information that would throw any light upon where Miss Lusk was going or how she happened to be walking in the street instead of on the sidewalk. The two physicians mentioned and a special nurse are in charge of the case and under the direction of E. E. Crabtree everything possible is being done for the injured woman, and both her friends and those of the Farrell family will sincerely hope that results of the accident will not be of a serious kind. Mr. and Mrs. Felix Farrell have been in Chicago all during the week and are expected home this morning.

NEW NEW SPRING DRESSES. NEW SPRING SUITS. NEW SPRING BLOUSES. NEW SPRING SKIRTS. NEW SPRING MILLINERY. NOW ON SALE AT HERMAN'S.

MEDICAL CLUB MET.

The Medical club met with Dr. C. E. Black at his office Saturday evening. Dr. Black was the leader, his subject being "Spinal Injuries." The lecture was illustrated with a number of lantern slides. Following the paper there was a general discussion after which refreshments were served. The next meeting will be held with Dr. Bowe with Dr. Bradley as leader.

VALENTINES! VALENTINES! We carry the Dennison line of novelties. Something nice for your party. LANE'S BOOK STORE.

OYSTER SUPPER WILL BE GIVEN FEB. 12

The oyster supper to be given by the Loyd Men's Bible class of Centenary church will take place at that church Tuesday evening, Feb. 12. The supper was set for January but was twice postponed because of inclement weather. The Loyd Men's class is one of the progressive church organizations of the city. At the meeting today Prof. Huber will discuss the subject, "Why more people are not attending church services."

LICENSED TO MARRY. Forrest R. Rafferty, Murrayville; Dora L. Smock, Murrayville; Herman B. Sparks, Franklin; Helen L. Murphy, Jacksonville.

LECTURE RECITAL OF SONGS ON BIRD THEMES.

Next Saturday afternoon the Jacksonville Woman's Club will present Mr. W. D. Olds in a song recital of the club as the annual musical program of the club. Mr. Olds is too well known to Jacksonville audiences to need further introduction as he was a member of the Faculty of the Conservatory of Music for a number of years.

Always much interested in nature, Mr. Olds has made a close study of our song birds, their habits, and songs and has embodied the fruits of this study in a series of charming songs, each of which is built on the actual tones sung by the bird in question. Interspersed with these are remarks explanatory of the life and habits of the birds and the circumstances attendant upon the securing of the material, the whole forming a unique and fascinating entertainment for music lovers and nature lovers. Mr. Olds will have the assistance of Mrs. Helen Ayers Bullard at the piano.

The program will be given at Illinois Woman's College in Music Hall at three o'clock. Tickets may be had of the committee or at Brown's Music Store.

WATER SAVING must be kept up to a still greater extent. We must accumulate some reserve for fire fighting.

JOSHUA VASCONCELLOS, Commissioner

TO OFFER AMENDMENT.

New York, Feb. 2.—Announcement was made tonight by Secretary Heydler of the National Baseball League that an amendment to its constitution would be offered at the spring meeting of the League Feb. 12 to make it possible to play double headers any time during the season. The constitution at present provides for double headers shall be played on the first visit of a team to any city and this rule piles up double headers in mid-summer. Another amendment will be offered for a minimum waiver of \$1,500 on any player purchased from a minor league or who is a free agent. Heretofore the president of the league has been asked to fix the waiver price when rival clubs were unable to agree.

RATLIFF LAND SOLD

Land belonging to the Ratliff estate was sold Saturday by John M. Butler, master in chancery, at the south door of the court house. The tract of 122 acres was purchased by John B. Ratliff at \$192 an acre. The sale was the result of a partition proceeding brought against Edgar E. Crabtree as executor of the estate of the late Mrs. Ratliff. Attorneys interested were Judge Layman, Judge Brockhouse and Walter W. Wright.

New Spring Models for Young Men are Here

The new styles typify the current military spirit, "Sammy", "Tommie" "French and Italian" models.

To the young men who buy their clothes for early wear will find medium weights for present use and later wear.

Single and double breasted
Plain shades and mixtures

\$20.00 to \$35.00

MYERS BROTHERS.

SAVE WATER FOR THE SITUATION IS SERIOUS

Commissioner Vasconcellos stated last night that the water supply situation is just about as bad as it can be. There is no water in the reservoir and water had to be taken from the mains again yesterday for Jacksonville state hospital. Monday it will be necessary to make a change in pumps at one of the wells and this will mean a still less supply while the work is going on.

It cannot be repeated too often that the situation is dangerous, fraught with grave possibilities to the public and the use of city water must be cut down in every way possible. Melt snow, use your own well and cistern, do everything else to reduce the amount of city water you are using.

Mr. Vasconcellos urges churches to use small rooms instead of auditoriums today and thus save on water for boiler use.

CREME BALM. Creme balm never fails to smooth chapped face and hands. GILBERT'S PHARMACY.

CAFETERIA WELL PATRONIZED.

The war time cafeteria dinner and supper given Saturday by women of ridly church attracted many. About 250 persons gave their patronage and enjoyed the menu offered. The food savings mottoes and literature attracted the desired notice. The women who served wore Hoover costumes, dresses of blue chambray, white collars and cuffs and white caps. The Hoover shields were embroidered on sleeves and caps. These costumes were made by the women of the church and orders were received for a dozen or more from patrons. Altogether the cafeteria was a great success.

Remember the big patriotic mass meeting at Central Christian church Monday night. Official U. S. government representatives will bring vivid war front reports.

FARMER IS KILLED.

Cedar Rapids, Ia., Feb. 2.—J. Wright, of Toddville was killed, his wife seriously injured and Jacob Morris slightly hurt when an interurban car struck a hobsled at a crossing near Robins this afternoon. A little daughter of the dead man, also a passenger in the sled was uninjured.

Mrs. Abbott, Ill. 881. Special prices in fur remodeling

THE NEWBY SALE TUESDAY

Attend William Newby's sale at farm seven miles northwest of city, Tuesday, Feb. 5th, beginning at 11 o'clock. Good horses, cows, feed, implements and household goods will be sold.

SATURDAY VISITORS FROM NEARBY TOWNS

Literberry—J. W. Martin, Andrew Johnson, Willard Young, W. H. Crum, Durrell Crum, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Clark, John Lockhart.

Franklin—Joseph Dowell, James Cline, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Slack, Mrs. Charles Seymour.

Arnold—Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lukeman, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Arnold, John and George Holly, Marcus Hulett, Harry Rice, Robert Hamilton.

Alexander—Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Corrington, Herman Visser, George Wackerle, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Strawn, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Strawn, Murrayville—David Wilson.

Sinclair—Jack Stewart, George Swain, Arthur Swain, George Wheeler, Crit Hainline, Walter Wheeler, E. E. Hart, Thomas Fox, Al Waterfield.

Lynnville—Walter Fearnough, William Fearnough, Charles Gibbs, James Ranson, Charles Potter.

Woodson—P. J. Crotty, Jesse Butler, Richard Butler, John Shelton, W. E. McCurley, William Mortimer, John Wilkerson, J. W. McAllister, John Blinling, George Newman, Louis Wahl.

Pisgah—Benton Buchanan, Clarence Buchanan, A. A. Curry, Arthur Buchanan, E. T. Samples, Lloyd Cox, Joy Prairie—Herbert Challiner, John Moss, John Hadden, Carl Martin.

Antioch—Scott B. Green, Gregg Tindale, William Baxter, Carl West, Strawn's Crossing—Henry Strawn, George Cully, Mr. and Mrs. William Weldon.

Crackers Bend—Douglas Turley, Elmer Smith, H. E. Ogile, Orleans—James Dobyns, Ernest Walters.

Northeast of city—W. E. Cleary, Crum Cleary, Cal Lawson.

Southeast of city—W. A. Reed, Lester Reed, R. Y. Gibson.

East of city—Lloyd Lukeman, Asbury—Mr. and Mrs. James Hemmrough.

Clark's Chapel—Otis Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. John Phillips.

Waverly—G. L. Kimber, Buckhorn—Edward German, Herman Burmeister, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Flynn, George Simpson.

ELLIOTT STATE BANK

Savings deposits made during the first ten days of February will draw interest from the FIRST of the month.

JUDGE BURTON IS COMING MONDAY

Judge Burton, in a letter to C. W. Boston, circuit clerk, approved the order of the county commissioners in closing the offices in the court house Monday but expressed the view that the circuit court should be convened for the receiving of any necessary motions. Accordingly Judge Burton is expecting to reach Jacksonville Monday in time to open court at 1:30 in the afternoon. The session will be held in the commissioners' room and interested attorneys are requested to take due notice of this fact.